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# Beloved King Goes To Last Rest

## Victoria Mourns

Today was a day of mourning.

Although 6,000 miles from Windsor, and hours removed in time, Victorians were close to their late monarch as they gathered throughout the city to pay tribute to King George VI.

His Majesty had long since reached his last resting place by the time his people in Greater Victoria met to pay their respects, but the services were nonetheless genuine.

Every-day boundaries were forgotten as Canadians of all races, creeds, and colors joined hands in their deep personal bereavement.

At Christ Church Cathedral members of all Anglican denominations prayed for the late sovereign.

Those of the large United churches took part in a solemn service at First United Church.

Roman Catholics mourned the passing of King George at a touching and beautiful High Mass in St. Andrew's Cathedral.

And in the distance, sharp at 11, could be heard the first of 36 minute guns firing from the west coast base of His Majesty's Royal Canadian Navy—one round for each year of his life.

## City Hushed

The whole city was hushed. There was no traffic and only the most essential services were continued as most stores, business houses, government offices and industrial plants remained closed out of respect to the King.

Even the weather was significant. There were dark clouds, but periods of bright sunshine lightened the sorrow of the day to make one and all realize that the Commonwealth will go forward in the reign of a brilliant and beautiful young Queen—as her father would wish.

Observances continued throughout the day.

A reserve army drumhead service in Bay Street Armoury was to conclude at sunset, as will an R.C.A.F. observance at Patricia Bay.

## Guns Salute

The booming of guns at Work Point Barracks started at 3 at a parade of active service men from Work Point and Gordon Head.

Members of the Jewish faith in Victoria were to hold their service tonight at 8.

This is the day the millions in the King's family have dreaded. Shocked by his sudden death, the utter finality of the funeral service has been hard for them to face, and the sincere feeling of all his subjects was well expressed in their prayers this Friday.

## Cathedral Packed

At Christ Church Cathedral, 2,800 people filled every available space within the great stone and concrete structure, while several hundred others were turned away.

Although the service did not commence until 10:30, practically all seats, except those reserved for dignitaries, were taken by 9:45. Many who attended the early morning Communion service at 8 waited for the main service.

Premier Byron Johnson was there with his family and so were other provincial cabinet ministers. Chief Justice Gordon McG. Sloan attended, as did Maj.-Gen. G. R. Pearkes, V.C., M.P., for Nanaimo; Mayor Claude Harrison and representatives of the outlying municipalities.

High-ranking officers of the three armed services were present and there was a large representation of scarlet-coated R.C.M.P.

Young and old participated. Among the crowd were many veterans, displaying rows of medals. Practically all men wore black ties, and many women wore purple ribbons on their coats.

Rt. Rev. Harold E. Sexton, Lord Bishop of British Columbia, spoke the blessing for members of the Royal Family, while other prayers were read by Rt. Rev. N. V. Halward, bishop's assistant, and Very Rev. Dean G. R. Calvert, cathedral rector, gave the lesson.

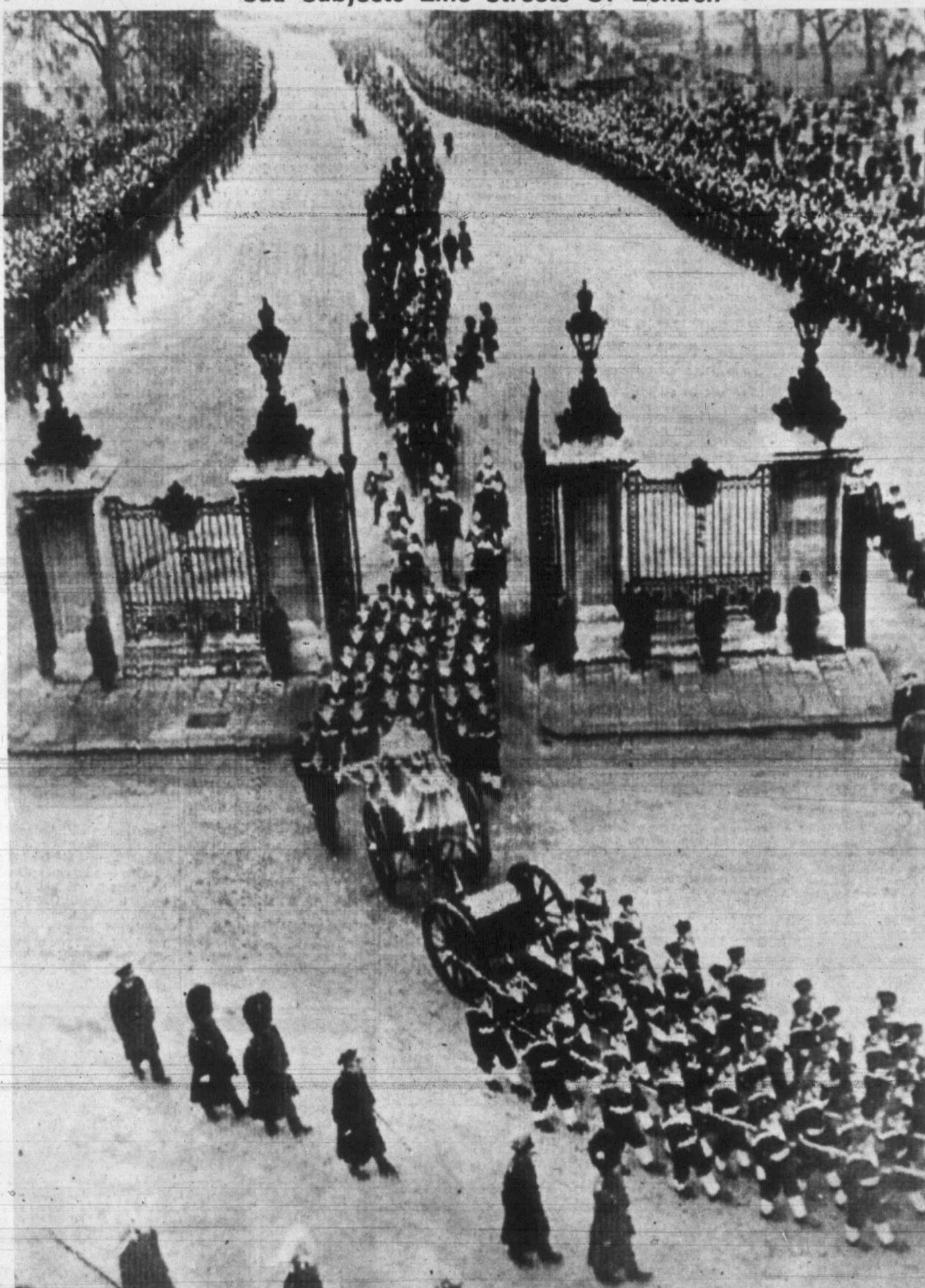
Twenty other Anglican ministers of the diocese participated in the procession.

For three quarters of an hour before the service and for some time after, the eight Cathedral bells rang out a half-nuffled peal in honor of the deceased king.

Inside, before the service, solemn music of Bach, Brahms and Mendelssohn was played on the great organ.

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## Sad Subjects Line Streets Of London



The gun carriage drawn by 150 sailors of the Royal Navy bears the body of King George VI from London's Westminster Hall today on the way to final burial ceremonies at Windsor. Cortège is seen passing through London's Hyde Park Gate. Marchers in mile-long procession stretch out along tree-lined road in background. (AP Wirephoto via radio from London.)

## National Ceremony Was Focal Point Of Canada's Homage To King George

OTTAWA, Feb. 15 (CP)—Canada today paid homage to King George VI at 11:45 a.m. but before that the great bell of the carillon high in the Peace Tower began to toll.

At 11:53, massed bands of the armed forces and the Royal Canadian Mounted Police played Chopin's funeral march, "Abide with Me."

"God Save the Queen" and "O Canada."

A two-minute silence, signalled by the firing of a gun, followed.

It ended at 1 p.m. with the firing of the first gun of a 56-gun salute from an artillery troop stationed near the buildings.

One round was fired for each of the 56 years of the late sovereign's life, each at a half-minute interval.

Similar ceremonies took place in cities and towns across the country.

The day has been proclaimed by the government as a public holiday to be observed as a day of general mourning. Most schools closed.

Originally, the government had planned to hold an open-air ceremony at the National War Memorial on Ottawa's Confederation Square. However, unfavorable weather forecast yesterday forced it to shift the ceremony to the Parliament Buildings.

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# ON THE TIMES

By ART STOTT

There's nothing like hearing the kids' social studies homework to make you realize how much history you've forgotten. Quick like a bunny you can shout out "William the Konk—1066." You're pretty sure about 1492 and Columbus, too, until the youngsters point out Christopher came across, but not all the way.

When you move into the Canadian section, you find your mind getting a little fuzzy. There's something about 1812 and you're almost positive it was a war, but it could have been that spy old guy who was born in the last century and is still going strong.

When you come to think of it, school didn't make such an indelible historical impression on you. Kings and dates, wars and roses get all twisted up. You know that Alfred burned some cakes, that Caesar gave Britain the Three V treatment, "Veni. Vidi. Vici." And you know that the First World War started in 1914—but he didn't bring that up on an American quizzing program.

Perhaps dates aren't very important anyhow. If you remember the first stories you read, dates didn't appear at all. They just started "Once upon a time a long time ago . . ." When the traditionalists ask me questions in the "what, where, and when" category, I find myself lapsing back to that childhood theme.

Now maybe if historians taught history the way Willard Ireland tells it, the lessons would stick longer in mind. Willard makes it very chummy. The people he discusses seem to have had flesh and blood. They used the brains they were given and a few of them were a little short-sighted. Some reached the subtlety of the ridiculous and there was a fair amount of hilarity about their processes of living and their decisions.

## Pretty Lively Stuff

When you've listened to Ireland explain why British Columbia is British Columbia you get the idea history could be pretty lively—not on the John Erskine or other modern models, which wouldn't qualify Cleopatra for a spot third from the left in Minsky's—but good, human, narrative with a few laughs thrown in.

The old boys in the history books, who are pictured with their chins thrown out and the air of decision about them, aren't quite so stuffy when they're reduced to normal physical terms. You can even get to like them, not particularly for their virtues, which are often uncomfortable, but for their misuses.

The pictures in the old texts used to inspire an unnatural awe in youngsters. A kid got the idea that the figures in them were not only a cut above the ordinary, but didn't belong to the earth, earthly. If you recollect one who looked particularly stern and forbidding, it's a relief to realize that he, too, at some time or other, must have been caught with a head cold, a sneezing spasm and no handkerchief. Think of him that way, and you'll be surprised how friendly he becomes without a stiff shirt.

Willard was telling our community group the other night how we lost our technical claim to the country as far south as Astoria. According to his story, the real estate had been purchased by the Nor'westers from John Astor when the wrangle over boundaries on the Pacific started. It was Nor'wester territory, bought and paid for by the Canadians and flying the British flag when a British gunboat arrived to seize it from the Americans.

## And Seized It Was

It worried the brass aboard the gunboat, which had received seizure orders before the sale went through, to find the Union Jack flying above Astoria. But not for long. He merely ordered the Jack down, ran the Stars and Stripes up, seized Astoria, pulled down the Stars and Stripes and ran up the Jack again. It was all neat and tidy and instructions had been followed.

It was just a little unfortunate that the agreement ending the boundary dispute ordered the return to former occupants of posts which had been seized. So, through the gunboat officer's brightness and strict adherence to duties, Astoria and Washington State went back to the Americans. The post had been seized, hadn't it?

Maybe I'm a little abnormal, but that's the way I like my history—chatty stuff that is of the people, for the people and by the people. And if there are a few bonehead plays thrown in, that makes it seem more natural, too. It's something of a relief from the man of destiny mantle that used to be thrown over personages of history. Let's leave that for Napoleon. On him it looked good.

## VICTORIA MOURNS

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King George VI moved among his people in their darkest hour with his hand in the hand of God . . .

That is how Father Lewis MacLellan of Queen of Peace Church described the beloved monarch during the St. Andrew's Cathedral service.

Hundreds filled the big church for solemn High Mass in honor of the Holy Ghost, when God's blessing was called down on the reign of Queen Elizabeth, the new sovereign.

Wearing red, the vestments of the day, Father G. Penfold, chancellor of the diocese of Victoria, celebrated the Mass, assisted by Father J. Planetas as deacon and Father M. O'Connell as sub-deacon.

A full choir from St. Ann's Academy was in attendance, and altar boys were from St. Louis College.

"What manner of man was he? What was the secret influence that he exerted over his people?" asked Father MacLellan rhetorically in his sermon.

"Briefly, I will attribute it to deep spirituality and his constant devotion to duty."

"At a time when the spiritual life of nations was at a low ebb, when the sanctuary lamps were being extinguished in many a country with a glorious Christian tradition; when domestic virtues were considered old-fashioned—be discarded here was a King, gloriously reigning, the ruler of the greatest empire known to history."

Tears welled up in the eyes of a grey-haired old lady as the life of the King was recalled to a sorrowful congregation at the United memorial service at First United Church.

The service was attended by

## RED CHINA WANTS IN

OSLO, Feb. 15 (AP)—Red China has applied to the International Olympic committee for recognition.

Avery Brundage of Chicago, international vice-president, revealed this today. He said the application referred to the executive committee. No other action was taken.

## 3-MAN BODY URGED TO RULE B.C.H.I.S.

**Special Legislative Committee Report Takes Note Of Public Dissatisfaction**

By GORDON FORBES

A three-man commission to operate the B.C. Hospital Insurance Service is recommended in the voluminous report of the special legislature committee which has been investigating the controversial scheme.

## TOPICS OF THE TIMES

Two mothers of small children were caught shop-lifting Thursday.

At their home, police found a carton of clothing stolen over the past several weeks. The women admitted the thefts.

When the mothers complained at being detained because of their unattended children, officers drove them home. \* \* \*

A damage suit against W. R. Mackenzie, sheriff of Nanaimo, and his assistant, Henry Crane, was dismissed by Mr. Justice A. D. Macfarlane in Supreme Court Chamber here Thursday.

The suit was dismissed with the consent of plaintiff George McHaffie of Victoria, who agreed not to continue with the suit in view of the death of Crane. The motion to have the suit dismissed was made by F. S. Cunliffe, Q.C., of Nanaimo.

McHaffie filed the suit against the defendants last year, claiming that Crane had falsely sworn an affidavit that he had served him with a court summons. \* \* \*

Movies of a Los Angeles-Honolulu boat trip by a club member were shown yesterday at the Rotary Club Thursday.

The film was taken during last year's famed Honolulu race and featured the Gossip, owned and skippered by Dr. Philip Smith.

Gunner George McDonald and John J. McMillan of 119 Battery, Gordon Head, pleaded not guilty in city police court Thursday to a charge of stealing cigarettes.

They are alleged to have stolen 15 packages from Lee Wah Lee early Thursday. Both were remanded to Feb. 20 for trial. The soldiers were released to the custody of their unit. \* \* \*

A movie of the Calgary Stampede will be shown Gyro Club members Monday.

Guest speaker Phil McGarvie will also talk to members on the famous annual event.

He and Gyro members will go to the Solarium later in the day to show the film there.

Is Herbert Anscomb really leader of the Opposition in the Legislature? This question is expected to be discussed by the C.C.F. early in the forthcoming session, and a fair-sized "hubard" could develop over the technicalities.

C.C.F. Leader Harold Winch told The Times from Vancouver today he isn't going to bring the matter up personally, but he didn't know what anybody else might do. He indicated that other party members may have definite views on the matter.

However, Winch did say Anscomb's position should be no different than that of W. A. C. Bennett of Kelowna.

"He crossed the floor of the House just like Bennett did. He should sit as an Independent," said Winch. "He is just a person who crossed the floor."

Many other smaller services were held throughout the Greater Victoria area.

One was conducted by Rev. T. H. McAllister for Canadian Pensioners' Association at their Pemberton Building headquarters. Bugler was Sgt. H. Freeman.

Moore than 300 members of the Sikh colony met at their Temple at 1 for a service led by Hira Singh, Sikh minister. Scattered through the congregation of men, women and children were veterans who had served as soldiers of Queen Victoria.

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clouds, cast a dull light on the blue-clad ranks of men, assembled in solemn memorial for their Admiral of the Fleet.

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## REVERENT HUSH

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The King died Feb. 6 of a coronary thrombosis. Elizabeth II, East Africa on a Royal tour, hurried home to receive the homage her subjects as Britain's first Queen since Queen Victoria's death 10 years ago.

The King's coffin left Westminster Hall in London at 9:30 a.m. on the journey here. Women wept, and men bared their heads in mid reverent silence as the mile-long cortege paced through three miles of London's streets in two hours and 25 minutes.

On his last earthly journey through London, a sorrowing nation and its friends had marked the King's passing with a magnificence he never sought in life.

Kings with bowed heads, statesmen from great republics, soldiers in resplendent uniforms, moved through the hushed streets of London in one last tribute to the head of the great Commonwealth.

Of all the tributes that were paid as the mile-long procession wound through the silent thousands, none was more touching than that of his mother, Queen Mary.

Too old at 84 to endure the strain of the long cavalcade, she watched it alone from the windows of Marlborough House, her home.

As the coffin passed, drawn with clock-like precision by its guard of blue-clad sailors, she rose in a last gesture of homage to a king.

Her hand was lifted—a mother saying goodbye to her son.

From behind the coffin, other members of the Royal Family looked up. The bereaved Queen Mother Elizabeth, and her granddaughter, the new Queen, bowed their dark-vailed heads within the littering state carriage.

Her son, the Duke of Windsor, making his first appearance in public since his abdication in 1936 brought King George VI to the throne, turned a careworn face and snapped a smart salute.

So did his brother, the Duke of Gloucester, and the new Queen's husband, the Duke of Edinburgh. Her grandson, the 16-year-old Duke of Kent, raised his silk hat toward her.

Before them stretched a mighty column of the King's men, marching in slow time to the melancholy music of massed bands.

## Gentle Hands Lifted Coffin

And all around the long processional route were packed the people of London, whose wailing horrors the King had shared.

"White guns boomed and church bells tolled in the background; they watched the end of another chapter written in their ancient history. The King was going to rest."

At the end of its long progress, gentle hands lifted the coffin from the gun carriage. Guardsmen carried it into the gloomy urn of Paddington Station and laid it in the silver-topped funeral coach.

Queen Elizabeth, who as a child stood in this station to watch her grandfather's coffin entrained for Windsor, stood with her mother as her father was carried by.

The bagpipes broke out their sad lament as she turned and with her companions boarded the train. Once seated, she was seen to raise her veil and stare out at the glittering guard of honor.

Then the train moved forward, out into the wintry sunshine, taking the King into the rolling green countryside and home.

Quiet homage mingled with the panoply of centuries has been the keynote since the 56-year-old sovereign died nine days ago at Sandringham estate where he was born. He had ruled 16 years through depression, war, austerity and fear.

A few minutes before eight guardsmen bore his body from its catafalque in historic Westminster Hall, his daughter-successor, the queen, came once more to look upon his coffin.

With her was her mother, Princess Margaret, and the King's sister, Princess Mary. All wore black and heavy mourning veils.

The Guardsmen placed the coffin upon the gun carriage just before 9:30 a.m. Then 150 sailors began to draw it slowly toward Paddington Station.

Big Ben, high above the route of procession, tolled 56 chimes, minute apart, each marking a year of the late sovereign's life.

## Valets Give Last Service

A wreath of flowers from the Queen Mother was the only ornamental decoration on the coffin, which was draped in the red and gold Royal Standard. Atop it also were the glittering jeweled symbols of his sovereignty, the great imperial crown, the sceptre and the orb.

The dukes walked abreast behind the carriage—Windsor and Edinburgh in Royal navy uniforms, Gloucester in the uniform of a general, Kent in civilian dress.

Walking just before the coffin-bearing carriage were the King's two closest personal servants—his two valets, Thomas Terram and James Macdonald. It was Macdonald, taking a non-smoking cup of tea to his master Feb. 6, who found the King dead.

In the procession were seven monarchs with their queens or consorts, 17 princes and princesses, the presidents of three states, and five prime ministers. Joining with the family and with the leaders of the nation to pay homage.

Nine bands accompanied the cortège.

Prime Minister Churchill and his cabinet waited at Windsor or the special funeral train to arrive. Following tradition, the government ministers did not take part in the procession through London.

## FUNERAL INCIDENTS

WITH THE BRITISH COMMONWEALTH DIVISION, Korea, Feb. 15 (Reuters)—Guns of the Commonwealth Division were silenced today as troops observed 10 minutes' silence in homage to the King.

Men climbed out of their foxholes to stand, with bare heads, silent tribute.

For men of the Royal Norfolk Regiment, it was a memorial not only to their King, but also to their colonel-in-chief.

OSLO, Feb. 15 (AP)—Athletes and spectators at the Olympic Winter Games' opening ceremonies at Bislett Stadium stood in silence for a minute to honor the King.

No sound could be heard from the crowd of almost 30,000. The flags of the 30 countries competing in the games, which were grouped in a semi-circle at the central platform, were dipped.

SYDNEY, Australia, Feb. 15 (AP)—Two members of Japan's Royal family, some 200 high government officials and foreign dignitaries attended memorial services for George VI today.

HONOLULU, Feb. 15 (AP)—Foreign diplomats attended memorial services for King George VI here today. The services were sponsored by the British consulate. No representative of Nationalist China attended since it has no diplomatic relations with the United Kingdom.

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TEHRAN, Feb. 15 (AP)—Hossein Fatemi, right-hand man of Prime Minister Mohammed Mossadegh, was shot and wounded today by a youthful Moslem terrorist who shouted, "There is no god but Allah."

Fatemi, former deputy prime minister, was felled by a pistol shot fired at point-blank range as he was addressing a crowd in a cemetery near Tehran. He was speaking on the fifth anniversary of the assassination of one of Iran's first Nationalist martyrs.

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## Solemn Rites Mark Funeral

Music By Abbey Organist Of 200 Years Ago Starts Service That Ends With 'Dead March'

WINDSOR, England, Feb. 15 (AP)—Two minutes of silence began the funeral services for the King today.

Then, to music composed by Westminster Abbey organist William Croft some 200 years ago, the St. George's Chapel choir sang: "I am the resurrection and the life, saith the Lord; he that believeth in me, though he were dead, yet shall he live; and whosoever liveth and believeth in me shall never die." (St. John VI—25, 26.)

I know that my Redeemer liveth, and that He shall stand at the latter day upon the earth,

## FLAGS TO GO TO FULL MAST

OTTAWA, Feb. 15 (CP)—

Flags go back to the top of the staff in Canada tomorrow morning, a government authority said today.

They have been flying at half-staff in mourning for the King.

and though after my skin worms destroy this body, yet in my flesh

first verse:

I see God; whom I shall see for myself, and mine eyes shall behold not another." (Job XIX, 25-27.)

"We brought nothing into this world, and it is certain that we can carry nothing out. The Lord gave and the Lord hath taken away; blessed be the name of the Lord." (1 Tim. VI, 7, Job 1-21.)

The choristers then sang the 23rd Psalm.

Then the choir sang the hymn chosen for the occasion by the Queen and her mother. The hymn was "The Strife is O'er, the Battle Done," an 18th century translation from an earlier German hymn. The words of the first verse:

ful Saviour, Thou most worthy Judge Eternal, suffer us not, as our last hour, for any pains of death, to fall from Thee."

As the body of the dead monarch was lowered into the vault beneath the chapel, the Archbishop intoned the words of commendation:

"Forasmuch as it hath pleased Almighty God to take unto Himself the soul of our dear brother here departed; we therefore commit his body to the ground; earth to earth, ashes to ashes, dust to dust, in sure and certain hope of the resurrection to eternal life, through Our Lord Jesus Christ, who shall change our vile body, that it may be like unto His glorious body, according to the mighty working, whereby he is able to subdue all things to himself."

The choir sang:

"I heard a voice from heaven, saying unto me, write, from henceforth blessed are the dead which die in the Lord. Even so saith the Spirit, for they rest from their labors."

Three Special Prayers Read By Dean

The Dean of Windsor read three special prayers. One of them asked God's blessing on "those whom we love but see no longer."

The second besought God to "deal graciously with those who mourn." The third asked God's help in keeping faith.

The choir sang the anthem, "God Be In My Heart and in My Understanding," composed by Sir Walford Davies, who was master of the King's music during the reign of George V. The Archbishop of Canterbury then pronounced the Benediction:

"The grace of Our Lord Jesus Christ, and the love of God, and the fellowship of the Holy Ghost be with us all evermore. Amen."

As the mourners slowly left the chapel, the organist played "The Dead March" from Handel's "Saul."

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**Iran's Fatemi Shot In Chest By Terrorist**

TEHRAN, Feb. 15 (AP)—Hossein Fatemi, right-hand man of Prime Minister Mohammed Mossadegh, was shot and wounded today by a youthful Moslem terrorist who shouted,

"There is no god but Allah."

Fatemi, former deputy prime minister, was felled by a pistol shot fired at point-blank range as he was addressing a crowd in a cemetery near Tehran. He was speaking on the fifth anniversary of the assassination of one of Iran's first Nationalist martyrs.

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## CHILD PRINCE GRAVELY WATCHES SAD PAGEANT

LONDON, Feb. 15 (Reuters)—A sturdy little boy with serious blue eyes watched the King's funeral procession from a window in St. James's Palace.

He was Prince Charles, three, heir to the throne and grandson of the late King.

The Prince looked down on the procession from beginning to end, yet hardly knowing what it was all about, seeing only the splendor and majesty of the pageant.

## OVERFLOW CHAPEL

### Wreaths For Monarch From All Over Globe

WINDSOR, England, Feb. 15 (Reuters)—Hundreds of wreaths to the memory of the King overflowed from St. George's Chapel, the Monarch's burial place, onto the surrounding courtyard.

The floral and other tributes came from all over the world. Two school children sent a basket of carnations and anemones "In Affectionate Remembrance."

One of the most touching was a bunch of white lilies and violets with a message: "To My Beloved King."

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FRIDAY, FEB. 15, 1952

## Comfort Thyself . . .

The old order changeth, yielding place to new,  
And God fulfills himself in many ways,  
Lest one good custom should corrupt the world.  
Comfort thyself: what comfort is in me?  
I have lived my life, and that which I have done  
May He within himself make pure! but thou,  
If thou shouldst never see my face again,  
Pray for my soul. More things are wrought by prayer  
Than this world dreams of. Wherefore, let thy voice  
Rise like a fountain for me night and day.  
For what men better than sheep or goats  
That nourish a blind life within the brain,  
If, knowing God, they lift not hands of prayer  
Both for themselves and those who call them friend?  
For so the whole round earth is every way  
Bound by gold chains about the feet of God.

Lines from Marie D'Arthur, by Alfred, Lord Tennyson.

## No Time For Decision

AT THE APPROACHING SESSION OF the legislature the Johnson government will operate with a frail majority. It does not possess, nor pretend to possess, the public mandate given to the former Coalition government in 1939. The present legislature is equipped with neither a real working majority nor with the authority to make fundamental decisions of policy. They should wait until the electors can be consulted at the earliest possible date, perhaps before midsummer.

Under the prevailing conditions it would be unwise, we think, to open up such issues as hospital insurance and labor legislation. If any attempt is made to legislate on such matters in a decisive fashion obviously every party and every member will be tempted to play politics

with an eye on the election. It will be impossible until the election is held, and one party or another firmly established in office, to secure an unhurried and unprejudiced judgment on any fundamental piece of legislation. The present legislature is dying. Until its end it can act only as a caretaker.

The people of British Columbia, we believe, do not deserve a long partisan wrangle in the legislature, with all parties engaged almost exclusively in a search for votes. Since the legislature lacks either working majority or mandate, since the present chaos of our politics can be cured only by an election, the public will be eager to see the legislature pack up and go home after doing essential business and then to see the polls opened with a minimum of delay.

## This Kind Of Thing

CITIZENS OF VICTORIA ARE BEING told by Mayor Claude Harrison that the city "foolishly" gave away Dunsmuir Castle to the Greater Victoria School Board for the sum of one dollar.

"These," the mayor said, "are the kind of things that have been going on for years over there." Mayor Harrison, according to the news report, accompanied the statement with a gesture toward the City Hall.

According to records in the school board office, the Victoria School Board bought the building called Dunsmuir Castle from the Bank of Montreal in 1927 for the sum of \$35,000 and used it as Victoria College. That action was taken before the amalgamation of different school boards into the metropolitan unit.

Automatically, under a section of the School Act, buildings of a board which passes out of existence to make way

for a larger board are handed over to the successor. That is what happened to Dunsmuir Castle.

Had the city school board, prior to the establishment of the larger administrative unit, not bought the castle, it would have required some other quarters to house the college. Building another structure would have been far more expensive than paying for the premises that were acquired.

Now that the city is a member of the Greater Victoria board it occupies the castle which it owns.

The elected representatives of Victoria, sitting as trustees with minority representation from each of the other municipalities, are in their own home.

That is the position to which the mayor refers as "the kind of things that have been going on for years over there."

## Monument To Folly

IN THE TORTURED LITTLE NATION of Iran elections have recently been conducted by the method of riot. The governor of a local province is decapitated by angry voters, the prime minister continues his fainting spells and meanwhile the huge oil refinery of Abadan stands silent and useless, a gleaming monument to folly.

Mossadegh has lost his great gamble. He thought that with his oil supplies he could hold up a world which could not do without them. He has found that the world can do without them quite comfortably.

As soon as the highly flexible oil industry of the world realized that the Iranian supplies were cut off it proceeded to develop other supplies, to open new refineries in Canada, India and elsewhere and to switch the tanker fleet from Abadan to other sources of supply. From the standpoint of Iran the most alarming result of this basic change

in the oil industry is its evident permanence.

The Abadan refinery not only is idle but it is deteriorating by a chemistry peculiar to such plants. Unless oil is constantly in motion through the pipes they suffer from a damaging process which, in the case of Abadan, will require a huge investment to cure. No foreign oil company is eager to undertake these costs when it can employ its money more profitably elsewhere.

The lesson taught by Mossadegh is old and familiar but has frequently to be relearned. It is that no country can hold up the world, least of all a tiny country with corrupt government, down-trodden people and a single large resource. From the time of Cyrus onwards the Persians have often suffered from evil rulers but few of them have equalled the folly of Mossadegh who misconstrued the British, the Americans and the nature of the world economy.

## Doukhobor Reply—Emphatic, Speedy

YESTERDAY IN THESE COLUMNS we asked "What are the good Douks doing?" Our query followed reports of widespread unrest in Krestova, Brilliant and other communities of the cult. We suggested that the law-abiding Doukhobors might profitably exercise restraint over the more unruly members and thereby win friends and influence people outside their faith.

Yesterday, too, The Canadian Press carried a dispatch from Krestova stating the Doukhobors there had expelled from the community a certain agitator who had preached against the accepted leader

and had tried to incite the community to a revival of incendiarism and bombings.

The outcast was stripped, a gagland of tin cans was draped around him and about his neck were slung 30 imitation pieces of silver, "as unto Judas."

That treatment of the trouble-maker was not quite the restraint we had in mind. It nevertheless was community action directed at an agitator who patiently and vigorously sought to disturb the peace. We acknowledge it as an answer to our inquiry—an emphatic and speedy answer to what the good Doukhobors are doing.

## Central Saanich Road Protection

CENTRAL SAANICH HAS MOVED TO protect its road surfaces by calling for \$250 bonds from owners of logging trucks operating in that district. The bonds, the council explains, will be used as security against infractions of loading regulations or in case of damage to roads.

The procedure seems logical and could be effective. Reports of overloads and who do not damage roads will have nothing to fear. Those who choose to ignore regulations will suffer the consequence when they are caught. The roads, which are built not solely for heavy trucks, should benefit.

authorities which seek to limit the weight of cargoes on big trucks. It has to catch the operator violating the law. That is a problem which may not be too difficult of solution within the municipal limits.

The proposal seems entirely fair. Truck operators who observe load limits and who do not damage roads will have nothing to fear. Those who choose to ignore regulations will suffer the consequence when they are caught. The roads, which are built not solely for heavy trucks, should benefit.

## LOOSE ENDS

### Report From Utopia

By BRUCE HUTCHISON

NEW YORK: Perhaps a few persons in Victoria—some poor doddering old man with nothing better to do, or a deranged spinster in the wilds of Saanich—have been wondering where the writer of this column has been lately. I shall tell you where he has been lately. He has been enjoying the high American standard of living.

I shall tell you also how this standard of living works in fact, not how it works in statistics.

The place where I have been staying outside New York is said to have the highest living standard in the entire world. It is inhabited by a gold-plated tycoon quite unknown to our simple coastal lives. It is the last happy hunting ground of the millionaire. How I should happen to den up here for a long week-end is another story and a grim one. Suffice it to say that for three days I have been living in fabulous luxury. I have seen the high standard in the flesh.

THAT is to say, the rich New Yorker who is the envy of the entire world arises at about 6 a.m. and hurries through his breakfast. He is then driven some ten miles along slippery roads and through the heavy traffic of various towns to the nearest railway station.

Here he is jostled by the cranky morning crowd on a cold, wind-swept and dirty railway platform while a gigantic train, half a mile long, ticks by, at least one minute. Finally his own train stops and he is swept inside by a stampede of angry commuters, all with a high standard of living, a stomach ulcer and a harassed look. One is lucky to get a seat on the train and sit there for an hour and ten minutes while it wallows into the Grand Central.

THE Grand Central at about 9 a.m. presents a sight very much, I imagine, like the buffalo herds of the Canadian prairies before the white man arrived, except that these herds are in a greater hurry. Only an experienced half-back can buck this line.

But if one survives, this is by no means the end of the journey. Now the high standard man descends with swarms of his own kind down dark and unclean passages into the bowels of the earth where, out of a black tunnel, roars the subway train, pauses for half a minute with open doors and then, swallowing up its passengers as a whale swallows herring, is off again with deafening sound through the bored rock of Manhattan Island.

THUS about two hours after leaving home the high standard man finally staggers into his office to begin work. At 5 p.m. he repeats the same process in reverse and after a quick bite of dinner collapses into bed to prepare himself for the same carefree life next day.

Statistically this is the highest living standard the world has ever known. It involves a great use of goods in great houses, in automobiles, railways, subways, elevators and every imaginable gadget to save men's labor. Never has so much labor been saved before in any single part of the earth's surface. Never have people toiled so hard to avoid work.

Statistically, never have they had it so good. Never has so much money been owned and spent. And never have any people had so little to show for their money.

WHEN I hear statisticians prove by indubitable figures that the living standard of Canada is lower than that of the United States I shall remember my last weekend in Connecticut. When I hear my friends tell me they are poor in Victoria I shall advise them to sample just for one day the opulence of the millionaire's paradise on the outskirts of New York. When I hear of young men leaving this country to secure the larger rewards of a richer civilization I shall not try to stop them. They will find out the truth for themselves.

One takes heart in the belief that the other members of the cabinet do not share the fawning subservience evident to me from the statement made by Mr. Straith, having in mind in particular the recent tax conference.

It would be very pleasant to see Mr. Straith stand up on his two feet and exhibit the spirit of independence and imagination which made this province.

R. J. HARVEY

Duncan, B.C.

## Beyond Comprehension

You are to be congratulated on the publication of your editorial on the front page of Monday's Daily Times.

It is truly beyond one's comprehension that the provincial government should thus flagrantly and completely disregard the wishes of Her Majesty the Queen by its decision to close schools, factories, business premises and government offices on the day of the funeral of our late beloved King.

The minister of education cannot be unaware of the fact that the closing of the schools on the day of the King's death meant no more than an occasion for just "another holiday" in the minds of the children, an opportunity for a visit to a show. True, parents should have been capable of stressing the significance of the occasion, but alas, so many parents fail in such duties. The education authorities are not thereby released from their duty of cultivating in the minds of the young a sense of good citizenship.

Further, may I point out how distasteful it was to hear the Victoria radio stations referring to the day of the King's funeral being declared a "public holiday?"

J. R. CARPENTER

637 Niagara Street.

## Capable of Action

Those who appreciated the able broadcast of James J. McGeehey on our attachment to the Crown and the influence this has in the affairs of British peoples everywhere might be interested in the views of a great Indian prince—the Aga Khan. Though spoken long before the U.N.O. it has a remarkable bearing on the problems facing us today.

There are innumerable technical objections to the creation of an international police force—but behind all these I see two fundamental difficulties.

We cannot do evil that good may come.

(MRS.) ROSETTA KNIGHT.

370 Ker Avenue.

## Stronger Than Force

New York Times

IN THE case of India the people of that country wished to establish an independent republic with an elected president as the highest officer of the state. It was not deemed politically possible to give allegiance to an external monarch and still establish and preserve this republican form.

At the same time it was obvious that substantial advantages could accrue to India by virtue of Commonwealth membership.

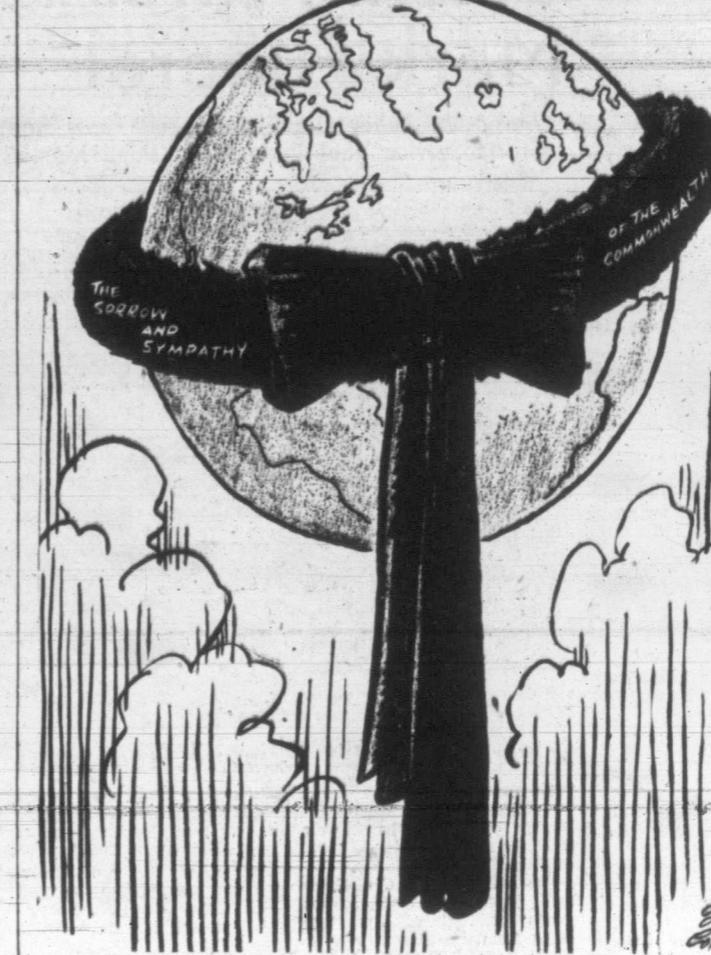
It was agreed, accordingly, that India would not extend allegiance to the British Crown and would not recognize the British Throne as sovereign. India would, however, recognize the Crown as the symbol of the unity of the Commonwealth and thus attach herself to that union through this recognition.

This is not mere hairsplitting over titles and terms. It is a vital matter in the feeling of the Indians, on the one hand, and an important demonstration of the British and Commonwealth capacity for adjustment, on the other.

The Crown is accepted by the Indians as the symbol of Commonwealth unity. It may be accepted, equally, by all the Commonwealth members as a symbol of their true freedom.

It is because of this freedom that these differing peoples in many parts of the world can take deep and honest pride in their sovereignty. The bonds of loyal esteem are stronger and richer than they could possibly be by any bonds of force.

## Wreath Around The World



## As Our Readers See It

### SCHOOL CLOSURE

The attitude of Education Minister W. T. Straith in bowing to the intervention of a so-called "higher authority," viz., the Dominion Government Closure Order-In-Council, is much to be regretted.

Whether or not the power of the Dominion government transcends that of the provincial government in the field of education or whether or not the schools should be closed on the day of the King's funeral does not really affect the matter. The roots go much deeper, and the point is that the state of mind evident is not worthy of a cabinet minister of the province of British Columbia.

Provincial governments are not lesser bodies; although, of course, their powers of legislation differ from those vested in the Dominion government.

One takes heart in the belief that the other members of the cabinet do not share the fawning subservience evident to me from the statement made by Mr. Straith, having in mind in particular the recent tax conference.

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Saanichton, B.C.

### S.P.C.A. AND VIVISECTION

In a recent meeting of the S.P.C.A. I note that the provincial parent body of the S.P.C.A. is endorsing the use of pound dogs in medical research at the University of B.C.

I sincerely feel that Mrs. Green should be backed the full way as she is doing such a wonderful job. Without her good work many families would have had a pretty grim Christmas.

Also thanks should be extended to every one who so willingly gave of their time and supplies to make it such a wonderful success. Good luck to you in your future endeavors.

ANOTHER GRATEFUL RECEIVER.

### The Thrill That Comes Once in a Lifetime BY R. T. WEBSTER



### The Shepherd

#### KINDNESS

"Put on therefore kindness."

Col. 3:12

There is a stunt that you should try . . .

Pick out someone to

day near-by . . . Your

kin, employee, or a

friend . . . And call

him up or message

send . . . Take him to

lunch or pay a visit

. . . Tell him his tulips

are exquisite . . . You

## Communists Present New Proposal To Full Peace Session Saturday

MUNSAN, Korea Feb 15 (AP) — Truce negotiators will hold an important full-dress session Saturday to hear a new Communist proposal for a Korean peace conference.

Vice-Admiral C. Turner Joy, chief U.N. negotiator, returned today from Tokyo where he has

charge accounts invited

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## Some Progress Made In Ford Strike Dicker

WINDSOR, Ont., Feb. 15 (UPI)—Sixty hours away from a union strike deadline, negotiations to avert a walkout by 8,800 Ford of Canada assembly line workers continued today amid reports of "unsatisfactory progress."

Ontario Labor Minister Charles Daley emerged from a seven-hour session with Ford officials and representatives of the C.I.O. United Auto Workers Union on Thursday night and refused to answer any questions regarding the talks.

He said only that "we are progressing satisfactorily."

Fifteen of the 23 points demanded by the union remained unsettled when earlier negotiations collapsed on Monday. Daley declined to say whether agreement had been reached on any of them.

Official but usually friendly sources said the negotiators had bypassed the contract clause dealing with seniority in layoffs, a point Ford claimed was the reason the earlier talks broke down.

The Reds are holding out for the forced repatriation of all prisoners while the U.N. insists on giving each man a choice.

ALASKA EXPLORER

Vitus Bering, a Dane in the employ of the Russians, discovered the Alaska territory.

**REGIONAL FORECASTS**  
VALID UNTIL MIDNIGHT  
SATURDAY

**VICTORIA:** Cloudy with sunny periods Saturday. Little change in temperature. Light winds. Low tonight and high Saturday.

**WEST COAST:** Cloudy with a few sunny periods Saturday. A little colder tonight. Light winds. Low tonight and high Saturday. Forecast Estevan Point, 30 and 45°.

**VANCOUVER AND GEORGIA STRAIT:** Cloudy with sunny periods Saturday. A little cooler tonight. Low tonight and high Saturday at Vancouver Airport and Abbotsford, 30 and 46°. Name, 30 and 46°.

## WEATHER SYNOPSIS

**VICTORIA'S SUNSHINE RECORD TO DATE, 1952—762 HOURS**

**SYNOPSIS:** A moist cool Pacific air mass lies over B.C. today. Skies are generally cloudy, while there are a few showers along the coast and snowflurries in the Interior.

Some clearing will take place later today and on Saturday so that sunny periods are expected in most regions.

A ridge of high pressure over the sea to the southwest will fend off active Pacific storms for a day or so.

Temperatures will remain relatively mild. However, with clouds becoming thinner tonight temperatures in many localities will be colder tonight than on any of the last few nights.

**TIDES AT VICTORIA**

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## Esquimalt Will Fight Fare Hike

Councillors Launch Formal Opposition To B.C.E.R. Application; Carey Seeks Protest

Esquimalt council Thursday formally opposed the B.C. Electric's transit fare increase application.

### Truman Asks Wide Powers For Morris

WASHINGTON: Feb. 15 (AP) — President Truman, countering charges that his clean-up-the-government program is really a "whitewash," asked Congress today to give clean-up chief Newbold Morris the power to subpoena witnesses and records from outside the government.

The president announced his action at a press conference in which he also said, giving no details, that the question of his seeking another term in the White House is a "difficult decision" for him to make.

Truman sought to head off political questions, and also to disavow predictions that various persons have made after talking with him.

The president said he is asking Congress to vote subpoena powers for Morris—who has said he doesn't want them—so that the New York Republican lawyer can make a thorough search for any "illegal or improper conduct in the transaction of government business."

He disclosed that Morris, whose title is special assistant to the attorney-general, is moving his headquarters out of the justice department—first government agency to be investigated under the housecleaning program. He said Morris will get all the funds and all the government co-operation he needs.

#### ANSWER TO CRITICS

Truman said his action would answer newspapers which have charged—as many Republican members of Congress also have done—that the clean-up program actually is an attempt to "white-wash" the administration.

As for politics, several hours after the conference the White House gave permission to quote directly the president's remarks—an unusual step.

He said Thursday, referring to the various accounts of his plans that have been given by callers at his office: "Whenever I get ready to make an announcement I will make it to you (the White House correspondents). It won't be through a third person."

### Saanich Wage Raise Effort Bumps Snag

Saanich municipal employees and firemen had little success Thursday night in presenting their 1952 wage demands to Saanich council.

Reeve Joseph W. Casey recommended the municipal employees adjust their request of \$26 a month across the board for all employees to "a more sensible figure."

"I don't object to the maximum wage, but the minimum is far too high," he told Constable David Shepherd, bargaining representative for the employees. "This would give junior stenographers a starting wage of \$155, and you can hardly expect us to pay that much for a girl just out of school."

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Central Saanich Municipal Hall Near Completion

New Central Saanich combined municipal hall, fire hall, will be ready for occupancy March 31. On East Saanich Road, Saanich, it will house fire equipment, at left, and municipal offices. Concrete block building cost \$18,500. (Times Photo.)

### Conference Will Stress Need For Unity In Regional Planning Here

Need for inter-municipal co-operation in regional planning will be stressed at a forthcoming planning conference in Victoria.

Empress Hotel will be the scene of the fourth regional conference of Community Planning

### Ironworkers Hope For New Welfare Plan

Twelve Victoria men, members of the Bridge, Structural and Reinforced Ironworkers (T.I.C.A.F.L.), are awaiting word from the union office in Vancouver on employer reaction to a union proposal for health and welfare plan.

The union, which bargains for 60 iron construction men in the province, has drafted a plan which would provide members with \$2,000 life insurance, M.S.A. coverage, and off-the-job sickness and accident pay of \$25 a week for a maximum period of 13 weeks.

Ironworker business agent Ernie Cook says the union proposed the plan would be financed by employers contributing 10 cents per man per hour.

A man would have to be out of work more than two months before he would lose benefits of the plan.

At present, ironworkers have a benefit plan of their own but which only provides \$400 death benefit and a \$30-a-month pension for workers with more than 25 years membership in the union.

Salary increases range from \$360 on the 1951 minimum of \$2,400 to \$720 on the \$4,800 maximum.

The teachers had originally asked for a 30 per cent raise while the school board countered with an across the board offer of \$300 for male teachers and \$400 for women teachers.

### Large Family Mourns Mrs. Alice Bennett

Funeral services for Mrs. Alice Bennett, 73, native of Leeds, England, who died Thursday after 69 years' residence in Victoria, will be held Saturday at 2, at Chaplin's. Interment will be at Ross Bay Cemetery.

Surviving are three daughters, Mrs. Elizabeth Heaslip, Mrs. Margaret Mellings and Mrs. Mabel De Witt; four sons, John, Ernest, Albert and Charles; two sisters, Mrs. J. T. Adams and Mrs. James Young.

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### Recreation Council Seeks Support For Commission

Public education on advisability of creating a civic recreation commission is among chief projects of Greater Victoria Recreation Council this year, directors said today.

At its annual meeting the council reviewed its presentation last year to councils of Victoria, Esquimalt, Oak Bay and Saanich on creation of a commission, preferably to cover Greater Victoria.

While the recommendation is still under advisement by Victoria, according to the directors, they feel Greater Victoria is behind the times in handling of recreation problems.

"Across Canada, 115 towns and cities have already created commissions," they state.

The future program of the council will include supplying public information on the matter as well as aiding any individual or organization with a recreation problem.

Directors elected John Halstead, president; Mrs. Blair Reid, treasurer; Dr. Henrietta R. Anderson, recording secretary, and Mrs. M. Broadley, corresponding secretary. Mrs. Reid was named chairman of the "60 Up Club" supervisory committee.

Directors elected for two-year terms were: F. O. Barrie, W. S. Daly, John Halstead, A. Jacobs, Mrs. H. F. Ketchell, A. D. Lyle, W. J. Pynn, R. Reeve, William Roger, C. A. Ross; for a one-

### Government May Take Goldstream Park Site

Capt. D. J. Proudfoot, Victoria M.L.A., said Thursday the provincial government is willing to take over Goldstream Park as a Class "A" park.

The Greater Victoria Water District owns the 700-acre park-site, but the city still has an equity in it. It was offered to the province some time ago.

The M.L.A. said he has written to Mayor Claude Harrison and sent him a copy of Lands and Forests Minister E. T. Kennedy's letter which indicates the province's willingness to accept the parksite.

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In dollars and cents they add up to more than \$2,500—and that's what Mister and Missus and Junior Fisherman will have as final prizes in this year's edition of the ladder salmon derby in Saanich Inlet.

Executive of the Victoria-Saanich Inlet Anglers' Association with proxy **Will Wilson** in the chair met Thursday night and wrestled with the design of this year's derby program in the popular inlet.

The boat, locally built, "is a dream," and that description comes from people who have seen one—**Will son, Dave Gray, Stan Williams and Johnny Angus**. The boat and engine are worth \$2,000. That'll be top prize. The "big" will be second and the music boy third.

This summer's derby will be another 10-week affair. It will start June 4 and conclude Aug. 12 with those qualifying in the weekly ladders shooting for the handsome prize list on Sunday, Aug. 24.

Decision was unanimous that the weekly runs this year number 40. There were 35 last year. This means that 400 V.S.I.A.A. members will qualify for the final fishoff.

Decision also was to have six weekly script prizes totaling \$50.

### Inlet Loaded With Grilse

Saanich Inlet continues as a good bet to get a few meals of fresh young salmon—grilse (or bluebacks, as some people call them at their present size.)

"Get our limit again Wednesday with the blueback bucktail with a spinner," said **Tiny Richards**. "It's getting monotonous 'cos he does it every time fishing out from Brentwood."

Hall reports good scores at the Goldstream end. **Frank Curtis** got his limit of 10 on the fly. So did **Charlie Panting, R. Wallace, C. Mezler** and party reeled in 23 on a small spoon, no weight. **G. H. Gilman** and party took nine on an abalone spoon. **Mat Lamont** and party boated 14.

### Brant Plentiful In Sooke

The fish-game club is solidly behind the South Vancouver Island Rangers in opposing destruction of timber in the Sooke watershed area. Like the Rangers, they feel that any logging operations in that section may have a detrimental effect on our water supply in the future. Next meeting of the fish-game club is Feb. 21, at the Club Sireco.

**Joe Gault** tells me that there is a good showing of black brant in Cowichan River if **Cec Moorehouse's** limit catch of three times below the new Duncan highway bridge is a criterion.

## New Contest Open For Young Island Marksman

Young members of sportsmen's and rifle shooting clubs on Vancouver Island have a new prize to shoot for—a new Model 521 Remington .22, calibre target rifle.

Some 20 clubs on the Island have been invited to have their younger marksmen—under 16 years of age—by **Joe Gault Ltd.**, Victoria's newest sporting goods store, to enter the contest. It takes in every known club from here to Port Alberni and from the East Coast to the West Coast.

"We are thinking of the interests of junior riflemen and their future contributions to the continuance of our great rifle shooting traditions," commented Bill Hawkins, president of the company.

"And we like to be part of the program that will produce a better brand of sportsmen for the future on the game trails," said retired policeman Joe Gault.

**REGULATIONS**

To be eligible to win the rifle there are certain laid-down rules that must be followed:

### Illegal Betting System

**SAN FRANCISCO**, Feb. 15 (AP)—Attorney-General Edmund G. Brown declared Thursday that the "messenger" system of placing horse race bets is illegal.

His opinion was prompted by the activities of a new organization known as the Southern California Messenger Service, which advertises it delivers "sealed messages" to race tracks for a 10-per-cent fee.

### FIGHT RESULTS

By the Associated Press  
**SAN FRANCISCO**—Art Soto, 150½, Oakland, Calif., outpointed **Bobby Jones**, 130, 15½, in a 15-round bout.

**WATERVILLE**, Me.—Hermie Freeman, 137, Bangor, Me., outpointed Bill Mays, 132, 15½, in a 15-round bout.

**TACOMA**—Ray Aguilar, 138, Los Angeles, knocked out **Dave Pittman**, 132, Spokane (8).

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## NORWEGIAN CLOCKS BEST TIME IN MEN'S SLALOM

**NOREFJELL**, Norway, Feb. 15 (CP)—Stein Eriksen of Norway appears to be the probable winner of the men's giant slalom race of the Winter Olympics Games today, shooting down the winding, Norrefjell hillside course of 2,300 metres in two minutes and 25 seconds.

All of the top-ranked aces were among the first of the 89 competitors from 29 countries.

Eriksen's performance gave him a 1.93-seconds edge over Christian Pravda of Austria, who was third in 2:26.9.

After the crack first 15 had made their descents, the clockings of the rest of the field went away up.

Eriksen was the 10th man down the course which drops 525 metres.

Zeno Cole of Italy, winner of the 1950 world championships in downhill and giant slalom racing, had the honor of being the first man to make the hazardous descent. He was clocked in 2:29.1.

Bob Richardson of Montreal placed 35th, tied in 2:48.2.

Andre Bertrand of Quebec was 37th in 2:49.3, Jack Griffin, of Montreal 38th in 2:49.5.

Gordie Morrison of Banff, Alta., was clocked in 2:52.2. However, his placing was not immediately determined.

## McMorrans Gain Island Cage Final

**GORDY JONES**, Roger Garden and Stu Dobie combined their talents Thursday night to give McMorrans a 38-26 win over Mount View High School and the lower island intermediate "B" boys' title by 10 points.

The three Saanich sharpshooters scored all but one of McMorrans' total points as they bounced back after losing the first game of the two-game, total-point series Tuesday by two points.

McMorrans' were never once behind, as they took in a one-point lead in the first frame, maintained it in the second, and advanced to a 27-21 margin in the third quarter. In the final quarter, the Saanich cagers pulled away from the city titlists.

**JONES HIGH**

Jones paced the winners with 16 points while Garden and Dobie had 11 and 10, respectively. High scorer for Mount View was Murry with 14.

Coach Noel Andrews' boys will now meet the winners of the Upper Island finals for the Vancouver Island championship.

Mount View's Fred Gruener, Roy White, Jim Grimes, S. Knudsen, Winter, B. Pringle, R. Kinnear, D. Strain, E. Barber, R. Bircks, R. Headley, J. Briggs, V. Clarkson, R. L. Holding, R. Carroll, J. Walker, V. Lowe, J. Clark, J. Robertson, G. Biggs, W. McNeil, L. Chappell, R. Merriman, G. Verney, D. Gowen.

Post entries will be accepted.

## BOWLING SCORES

### STRATHCONA ALLEYS

**WOMEN'S TENPIN LEAGUE**

**HAWKETT**, Feb. 1—Brown 327, M. Beany 423, N. Narins 368, G. Waller 368, D. Williams 368, G. Thompson 358, Handicap, 192. Totals, 960. 200s, 971. 200s, 968.

**STRATHCONA-B.** Duxey 377, G. Myers 423, D. Williams 398, Handicap, 192. Totals, 1,000. 200s, 1,000. 200s, 988.

**THREE MEN** came in with 85s, and one had 66, 16 had 67s and 19 came in with 68s—including Stan Horne of Montreal, who shot a 35 on the outgoing nine and 33 on the back nine.

The club's executive have named **Gerry Campbell** and **J. Blithe** to handle the instruction of junior members in shooting, woodworking and other outdoor sports.

## Crusaders Hold No Fear For Bouncing Bays

**J.R.A.A.** of the Victoria Rugby Union, who are still feeling pretty cocky after their win over the much-improved Wanderers last week are going after Crusaders' scalps at Macdonald Park, Saturday.

Crusaders, who have been in first place since the beginning of the season, hold an eight-point lead over the second-place Bays, but have slowed down considerably lately due to injuries.

Last week the league leaders fought to a 14-14 draw with third-place Victoria College, who won on Wanderers at Windsor Park Saturday. Wanderers are a much improved squad of late and should provide plenty of competition for the students.

In the newly reorganized second division, Wanderers will meet Victoria College at Macdonald Park.

All games start at 2:30.

### Alley Bowling

All league play at the Capital City Bowldrome has been canceled this evening.

In its place, there will be open bowling after 6. Strathcona, Gibson's and Esquimalt will open at 6 for league play.

See page 2.

**Northwestern Creamery**—R. Morgan 718, Jones 712, Hart 708, Stewart 691, B. Williams 682, A. Stewart 678, D. Williams 676, G. Thompson 675, D. Williams 674, Handicap, 180. Totals, 1,000. 200s, 1,000. 200s, 988.

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## Victoria Quakers Send Aid To Middle East Poor

Fifteen hundred pounds of clothing are on their way to the needy of the Middle East.

Victoria group of the Society of Friends (Quakers) said today 25 cartons of clothing, footwear and bedding had been shipped to Quaker headquarters in London. From there they will be dispatched to centres in Europe and the Middle East for the needy.

"Thanks are expressed to all local sympathizers who by their donations have made this work possible," said Mrs. I. M. Valentine, treasurer.

She said there were more than 25,000,000 refugees in the world. Donations of clothing and contributions of warm quilts and

renovated garments sent by local church groups were lauded.

Gifts of money are used to purchase pabulum and cod liver oil for undernourished children living in the distressed areas. Contributions of clothing may be sent to the Friends' Meeting House, 1831 Fern Street, or placed in a special box in the Co-operative Grocery Store, 618 Pandora. Gifts of money should be sent to the treasurer at the Meeting House.



**From 'Ivory Hunter'**

Dinah Shore is the beautiful young lady in this happy scene from The Royal Command Performance picture "Ivory Hunter." Now showing at the Odeon.

Library Shows Watercolors

The provincial library in the Legislative Buildings is showing a group of watercolors by Victoria painter Owen Goward.

The paintings feature the B.C. industrial scene.

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## Eclipse Watchers Drawn To Trouble-Torn Sudan

Khartoum, Feb. 15 (AP)—

Beneath the flat, sunbaked roofs of Khartoum, capital of the trouble-rocked Anglo-Egyptian Sudan, people are gradually becoming eclipse-conscious.

Distinguished-looking Canadians, Britons, Americans, Frenchmen, Dutchmen and Italians crowd the lounge of the Grand Hotel. They are members of eclipse expeditions, arriving in a steady stream for weeks.

E-Day is Feb. 25. At 11 a.m. the moon will blot out the sun for three minutes. Those three minutes will be the climax of months of preparation and planning.

The time, place and season for this eclipse are particularly propitious. Meteorological and atmospheric conditions are likely to be good. The sun itself will be turning its most favorable face towards the earth, since the group of sunspots recently visible will by then have largely disappeared.

The interaction between the sun's radiations and the earth's atmosphere provides some of the main problems in the coming eclipse. Several are being investigated for the first time.

In addition to the work of radio-astronomers, direct solar observations will be made to collect further data about the composition and temperature of the sun. Other parties will examine

the behavior of sky light and observe fluctuations in the earth's magnetic field at low frequencies.

The astronomers engaged in these investigations are from many world-famous institutions including the Royal Observatory at Greenwich, England, and the University of Ottawa.

The Ottawa University expedition has set up an observation station at Musmar, northeast of Khartoum in the Red Sea hills. Most other groups will be working in the Khartoum area.

The defense protested every time a witness was asked about alleged bookmaking premises which had not been mentioned at the preliminary hearing of the 25 men and one woman.

Testimony mainly concerned leases and rental agreements allegedly made by some of the accused, ostensibly to open pool rooms, barber shops, smoke shops and other business premises. The Crown charges that these establishments were used for bookmaking.

### BLAMES MOTHERS

BECKENHAM, Eng. (Reuters)—Mothers are held responsible for the mental and emotional troubles of some adolescents sent by police courts to a hospital here for treatment. The hospital physician, Dr. W. Warren, wrote that the abnormalities of mothers which most often affect their children are over-anxiety, rigidity, hostility or rejection.

### Pearkes To Address Two P.C. Groups

Maj.-Gen. G. R. Pearkes, V.C., M.P., will address two Progressive Conservative meetings in the next 10 days.

Monday night he will speak to the Saanich P.C. Association at Hampton Hall. His subject will be "Some Impressions of Europe Today."

Monday, Feb. 25, the Nanaimo M.P. will address the annual meeting of the Esquimalt South Rural P.C. Association at Colwood Hall.

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The astronomers engaged in these investigations are from many world-famous institutions including the Royal Observatory at Greenwich, England, and the University of Ottawa.

The Ottawa University expedition has set up an observation station at Musmar, northeast of Khartoum in the Red Sea hills. Most other groups will be working in the Khartoum area.

The defense protested every time a witness was asked about alleged bookmaking premises which had not been mentioned at the preliminary hearing of the 25 men and one woman.

Testimony mainly concerned leases and rental agreements allegedly made by some of the accused, ostensibly to open pool rooms, barber shops, smoke shops and other business premises. The Crown charges that these establishments were used for bookmaking.

### BLAMES MOTHERS

BECKENHAM, Eng. (Reuters)—Mothers are held responsible for the mental and emotional troubles of some adolescents sent by police courts to a hospital here for treatment. The hospital physician, Dr. W. Warren, wrote that the abnormalities of mothers which most often affect their children are over-anxiety, rigidity, hostility or rejection.

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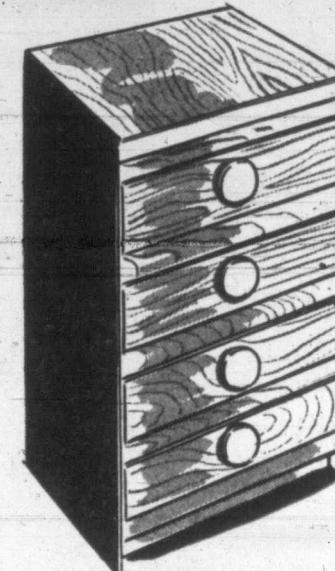
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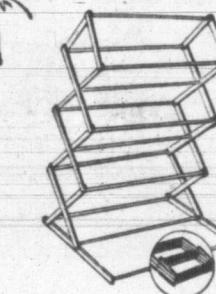
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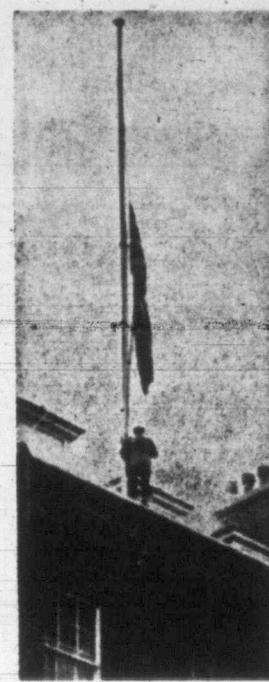
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## Whole World Mourns "Great And Good" King



**Sorrowing Crowds Lined Route Of Funeral Cortege**

The sad departure of gun carriage, bearing coffin, from Sandringham where His Majesty passed away, was prelude to the actual funeral procession. The gun carriage

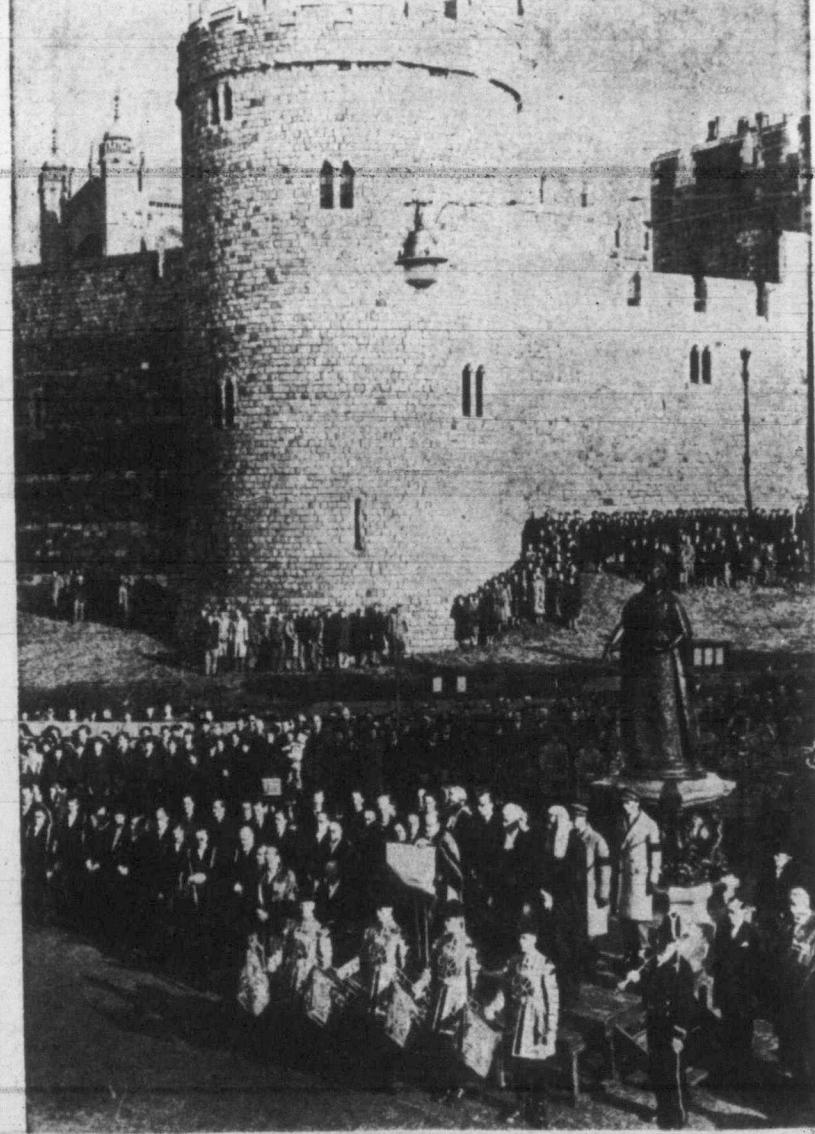


**Half-Mast**



**Service Held In Royal Chapel**

Beneath the heraldic flags of kings the solemn funeral service for George VI was held today in St. George's Chapel, Windsor, one of the world's most beautiful examples of Gothic architecture and design.



**Where Long, Last Journey Ended**

In the shadows of Windsor Castle, where his daughter was proclaimed Queen only a few days ago, the funeral

cortege rolled to a stop this morning and the King was borne to his last resting place.



**They Loved Their King**

A group of villagers, including a rubber-booted land-worker girl (right), enter the tiny candlelit chapel of Saint Mary Magdalene, at Sandringham, to file past the bier of the late King George VI. Although only a few mourners at a time could enter the chapel their total number was estimated in the thousands.



**Vigil Kept Day And Night**

Shortly after the news flashed through London that King George had passed away crowds began to form outside Buckingham Palace. Hundreds of Londoners

kept vigil through days and nights that followed offering mute but expressive sympathy to members of the Royal household.

"In the end death came as a friend and after a happy day of sunshine and sport, after a 'good night' to those who loved him best, and he fell

asleep as every man or woman who strives to fear God and nothing else may hope to do."

—Prime Minister Winston Churchill

## SHOPPING GUIDE

**Enamel Surfaces Restored To Their Factory Beauty**

By PENNY SAVER

Take a look at the enamel surfaces around your home. Chances are that you have got so used to the little nicks out of the surface that they don't seem as glaring to you as they would to a visitor in for the first time.

It is the same way with a lot of things, but fortunately this is one problem that can be remedied.

If the enamel has decided to part company with the main surface in some spots, fill those nicks in with some more enamel. Yes! There is a white enamel especially designed for any white baked-on enamel surface that you can buy right here in town for \$1.10. The accompanying brush for the job is \$1.25.

It's a dandy preparation!

Just in case you were wondering, you'll have no trouble with this enamel after it is applied.

No, indeed! Just like the original enamel—it is heat and acid-resistant and is easily cleaned.

**No More Hide And Seek**

If you are anything like me, and I wouldn't wish that upon anyone, you spend a great deal of your time turning drawers upside down in search of a lost article.

Take cosmetics and jewelry for instance. Unless you put them away in a box there is no telling what will happen to them. Sewing articles, stamps, coins and even hardware have a nasty knack of disappearing, too, just when you want them.

Plastic to the rescue again! This time it is shaped in the form of a good-sized utility tray with one large partition and 10 smaller ones. When I say one large partition I mean large enough to get the average size hairbrush in and the others are about half this size.

Each partition has rounded corners so you can pick things out easily as well as clean without having to scrape in the corners. Added convenience and neatness with this tray for \$1.19.

**Members Give Allegiance At Meeting Of Auxiliary**

Ladies' Auxiliary, Britannia Branch No. 7, Canadian Legion, B.E.S.L., met recently and Mrs. E. Swan, past provincial president, officiated while members took allegiance to Queen Elizabeth II.

A number of visitors were welcomed by new president Mrs. G. Ree. They were Mrs. A. Bateman, Nanaimo; Mrs. H. Ketchell and Mrs. M. Simpson, Esquimalt Navy Auxiliary; Mrs. E. Mars, Mrs. M. K. Hancock and Mrs. A. Campbell, Victoria.

New members initiated were Mrs. M. Zinnerman, Mrs. J. Trost, Mrs. A. Couture, Mrs. E. Pegg, Mrs. E. Glass and Mrs. K. L. Eploy.

Sick visitor, Mrs. A. C. Craib, visited 332 hospital patients during January, and Mrs. E. Evans attended 10 Legion funerals.

Executive members will convene the Valentine tea Tuesday at 2:30 in Douglas Room, Hudson's Bay Company, and bingo will be played in the auditorium Thursday at 8.

**Grandmother's Fan**

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**Sight-Saving Class Check To Isolation****WHY GROW OLD?**

By JOSEPHINE LOWMAN



Fingers are best for applying rouge.

**Correct Weight And Scalp Care Today's Problems**

TORONTO, Feb. 13 (CP)—To most persons, it's just another classroom where children are taught their A B C's.

But Room 14, Jesse Ketchum Public School, is a little different than most. It's a special sight-saving class, one of eight in Ontario. There are three other classes in Toronto and one each in London, Windsor, Hamilton and Ottawa.

The class is happier and more informal than most schoolrooms. The pupils, about 15, ranging in ages from six to 12, are normal and friendly.

Miss Edna Bogart is more like a mother than teacher of the children.

The difference between room 14 and, say, the room across the hall, is the teaching method. All the children have poor vision. Only children with eye defects which prevent progress in regular grades are admitted. They have less than 30/100 vision.

The class receives many visitors and the children assist Miss Bogart in explaining the special sight-saving course. One day visitors were treated to a skit by all members of the class; a song by the "Sunshine Service Club's" barbershop quartet and a solo by an eight-year-old boy.

The aim of the special classes is to teach the visually-handicapped child to realize that his handicap does not need to isolate him.

The pupil is guided and encouraged to build up his belief in his own powers," says Miss Bogart. "He learns to do, construct, listen and discuss with little reading."

A phonograph donated by a Toronto service club helps the children to learn some subjects, such as history, without reading.

Equipment includes special lighting—glare is eliminated;

cream-colored "sight-saving" paper on which work is done in large handwriting and special desks.

At the start of each term, Miss Bogart faces the problem of "welding" the children into a group. She succeeds.

She says the children feel closer to each other than they would in a regular grade, though their ages may vary as much as six or seven years.

Ladies' Auxiliary, Pro Patria No. 317, B.E.S.L., whist drive, Monday at 7:45, Hard of Hearing Hall.

Ruth Hussey, Hollywood screen star, has created jewelry style all her own. Miss Hussey excited comment in the film capital the other day by wearing a three-foot-long link chain made of palladium. A gleaming palladium fish with sparkling diamond eyes fastens the chain. Palladium, a precious white metal and sister to platinum, is light in weight, so that Miss Hussey's innovation is not cumbersome.

Q. "I am 5 feet, 3½ inches tall and weigh 125 pounds. Please tell me what is wrong with my measurements. My bust measures 34 inches; my waist 25½ inches; and my hips 25 inches.

A. Your weight is all right unless you are very small boned. Then you might lose five pounds. Your measurements are also in pretty good ratio. You might exercise for a loss of an inch in the waistline and a bit off the hips. You really haven't much to complain of though.

Q. "I am 15 years old. I am 5 feet, 8 inches tall and weigh 120 pounds. My bust measures 34 inches; waist 24½ inches and hips 33 inches. Do you think I should gain or lose?"

A. You are really underweight. You should gain at least 10 pounds, maybe a bit more. It will be becoming to you and you need this weight for health. You are well proportioned.

Q. "I am troubled with dandruff which is growing worse. I lose a brushful a day and a handful when I wash my hair. My head is so full of dandruff that my scalp is sore. I have heard that there is no cure for dandruff. What can I do?"

A. True dandruff is a stubborn disease. You require expert treatment. I would see a dermatologist. You will never cure it by yourself.

Q. "I would like to know if you think I should weigh more. My husband says I am all right but my friends say I should weigh more. I am 38 years old, 5 feet, 1½ inches tall and weigh 102 pounds. I should also like to know if I should use oil or cream on enlarged pores. I have only a few blackheads."

A. You should gain weight, although I know you always look swell to your husband. You should gain at least 15 and maybe more pounds. If your skin is dry you will have to use cream or oil. Usually blackheads and enlarged pores go along with an oily skin. The reason for not using oil would be that blackheads come from clogged pores; pores stopped up with dirt and oil. Either way I suggest that you use a complexion brush and suds once daily, being sure to remove all oil or cream, and apply an astringent after every cleansing.

View Royal—Final plans for the anniversary tea to be held March 5 will be made at a meeting of View Royal P.T.A. on Feb. 27 at 8. Art Stott will be guest speaker and will conduct a buzz session.

Willows—Dr. Henrietta Anderson gave a talk on her trip to New Zealand at a recent meeting of Willows P.T.A. Mrs. J. Hamlet presided and it was decided to make a donation to Queen Alexandra Solarium and to Red Cross.

R. T. Kipling, principal, thanked the guest speaker, Mrs. E. Cosman, convened refreshments.

Quadrangle—Founder's Day was observed by naming all past presidents at a recent meeting of Quadrangle P.T.A. Mrs. V. Springford was appointed convener of the spring tea and \$150 was voted for books for classrooms. Following the business meeting, Dr. R. M. Petrie gave an informative talk on the work of the Dominion Astrophysical Observatory, illustrated by slides.

IT'S FROM BIRKS

**Siamese Girl Astounded At North American Life****Y.W.C.A. ACTIVITIES**

TORONTO, Feb. 15 (CP)—"In Thailand we don't see boys without chaperones until we're 20. We marry later, too—it takes five or six years to learn if a fellow is serious."

She thinks Canadian girls wear too much lipstick. She is surprised that they go on dates without chaperones.

But she's enthusiastic about all the gadgets she has discovered in Canadian homes—and television.

"I can't go to sleep without watching that screen," said Salika, one of 21 teen-agers from the Far East now spending three days in Toronto on a good-will tour. She and her companions have been in the U.S. since December as part of a youth forum project.

Salika said she has found Canadian homes "remarkable."

"We have four servants at home which is average," she said. "Housewives in Toronto have so many gadgets they don't need any servants."

"The way boys and girls go out together in North America makes my head spin," she said.

**Club Women's News**

Guest Speaker—Mrs. S. Freeman gave a book review at a recent meeting of Tuckabatchee Group of First Baptist Church held at the home of Miss Lois Weeks, Lockley Road. Mrs. M. Sandeman-Allen opened the meeting. Refreshments were served by Mrs. Sandeman-Allen. Mrs. M. Bleaskey and Miss D. Waller. Next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. W. Clark, 120 Croft Street, March 14 at 8.

Nominating Committee—At a recent meeting of Xi Beta Chapter, Beta Sigma Phi Sorority, a nominating committee, Mrs. Doris Faryon, Mrs. Norma Taaffe and Miss Rita Rodger, was chosen. Mrs. Barbara Brown presided and cultural program on the growth of France was convened by Mrs. Audrey Langley, assisted by Miss Gwen Woolcock and Mrs. Mary Ann Phillipson. After the meeting the president conferred the Exemplar degree upon Mesdames Langley, Esther Corry, Paddy De Castri and Miss Woolcock. Next meeting will be on Feb. 25.

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## Wintering In Florida

Mr. and Mrs. John A. Wilson, 1060 Queens Avenue, are spending the winter in Mexico, St. Petersburg and Miami, Fla., also in Cuba. They will return to Victoria some time in May via New York and Winnipeg.

## Visitors From Whitehorse

Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Cyr with their children, Jeannine and Bobby, arrived this morning from Whitehorse, Y.T., and are guests of Mrs. Cyr's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Campbell, Dominion Road. They flew from Whitehorse to Seattle and crossed to Victoria in the city. Mrs. Cyr will be matron of honor at the wedding of her sister, Miss Alisa Campbell and Mr. William D. Murray on March 8.

## A 21st Birthday Party

Mr. Bill Hurst was honored recently on the occasion of his 21st birthday when friends gathered at his home on Johnson Street to hold a surprise party. Among those present were Mrs. M. Hurst, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Wormald, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Warner, Misses Kay Collis, Trellis Frame, Doris Glass, Bernice Liddiard and Messrs. Trevor Jeanes, Glen Oliphant, Ron Mooney, Wilf Lessard, Don Joyner, Teddy Howard, Norman Alexander and Don Mooney.

## Shower For Shirley Boden

Miss Birdie Faboni and Miss Lillian Noble were co-hostesses recently at the home of the latter, 718 Queens Avenue, in honor of bride-elect, Miss Shirley Boden.

Gifts were hidden in a decorated box and spring flowers decorated the room. Buffet refreshments were served.

Bebe pink carnations in corsage were presented to the guest of honor, and her mother, Mrs. F. Boden, and her fiance's mother, Mrs. C. Bath, received spring flowers.

Among those present were Mesdames Marguerite Wilkinson, Jean Smith, Inez Lewis, Pat Michael, I. B. Peddesden, Dorothy Page and C. A. Noble, and Misses Doreen Adams, Marguerite Faboni, Eileen Ferrie, June Ash and Gladys Noble.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Pottinger, Bank Street, left this morning for Bellevue, Wash., where they will attend the wedding of their son, Kingston, and Alethea "Lee" Rogers, Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Osmond Matson entertained at a dinner at the Union Club Thursday evening in honor of Mr. Lamont J. Belan, a visitor in the city from Montreal. Covers were laid for eight.

Mrs. G. C. Chestney arrived home by plane recently after attending the Nelson-History Ice Show in Nelson, B.C. Her daughter, Mrs. Fay Morris, Nelson Figure Skating Club professional, directed the affair.

Miss Marne Wilson is in the city this weekend, guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Wilson.

## MRS. NICHOL, REGENT

## Gonzales Chapter Active With Educational Work

Mrs. W. C. Nichol was elected regent of Gonzales Chapter, I.O.D.E., at annual meeting held in her St. Charles Street home. Other officers are: Mrs. A. Chisholm, honorary regent; Miss M. Pitts, first vice-regent; Mrs. G. A. Henson, second; Miss Eileen Dennis, educational, and Mrs. A. L. Harvey, standard bearer.

During the year donations were made to needy projects and parcels sent to Britain.

Mrs. J. B. Kay, retiring as secretary after nine years in office, gave a resume of the year's activities which included a June tea at the home of Mrs. Nichol, and a child and family welfare tea at the home of Mrs. Murray Cameron in October.

Mrs. W. R. Russell, educational secretary; reported \$100 contributed to secondary education and \$10 to Golden Jubilee Bursary.

In her treasurer's report, Mrs. J. D. Gunn reported total receipts as \$331.73 and total disbursements as \$595.36.

Others giving reports were

## Would License Social Workers

VANCOUVER (CP) — Licensing of social workers "to protect the public against quacks," has been urged by Joy Maines, national secretary of the Canadian Association of Social Workers.

She said the plan is being studied in association chapters in British Columbia, Saskatchewan and Quebec. It was hoped that registered workers will be able to move from province to province, although licensing will probably be on the provincial level.

Next year only graduate social workers with five years experience are admitted to join.

Miss Main said the serious shortage of social workers in Canada is due to absence of a pension scheme and low salaries.

There are about 50 per cent more men in social service work now than before the war and she said there would be more if salaries were higher.

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## To Live In England Following March Marriage

An engagement of interest has been announced between Diana Gordon Macpherson, daughter of late Mrs. F. H. Macpherson, Victoria, and late Mr. Macpherson, and Lieut. Stephen I. Ker, R.C.N., son of Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Ker, Montreal. A quiet wedding ceremony will take place on March 1 in St. John's

Chapel to be followed by a reception at 3250 Weald Road. Miss Macpherson has chosen her sister, Miss Joyce Macpherson, as her bridesmaid. The affianced pair will leave early in March for Portsmouth, Eng., where Lieut. Ker will be stationed.

## AT LUNCHEON MEETING

### Speaker Flings Challenge To All Canadian Women

Dr. Henrietta Anderson told members of Victoria's Liberal Women's Forum, at the annual luncheon meeting in Strathcona Hotel, Thursday, that if anything is to be done in raising the standards of Canadian ideals, women must do it.

### Royal Children Not Spoilt

There'll be no spoiling of the children of the Royal Family if they're brought up as their mother was.

The parents of Queen Elizabeth II did everything they could to give her a normal childhood—one free from the pomp and circumstance of the court.

They succeeded so well that Queen Mary, the grandmother, once remarked, "I don't think any child could be more sensibly brought up."

Elizabeth was reared to keep her own rooms in order and mend her own stockings.

Her parents quickly stopped a tendency of her grandparents to spoil the girl.

When the new Queen once boasted to her parents how happy people would be to watch her leave a London exposition, she was sent home immediately—by the back door.

Queen Elizabeth's upbringing has included a wide range of interests and hobbies. She learned to ride almost as soon as she could walk. She likes sailing and horse racing and has owned horses in partnership with her mother and has a horse of her own.

Can the Queen cook? The Duke of Edinburgh is said to have been asked by a reporter if he himself, could cook. The Duke is said to have replied, "We both can."

One of the first alterations Queen Elizabeth II is expected to make in Buckingham Palace is the addition of a nursery for her two children—Prince Charles and Princess Anne.

### C.G.I.T. Girls To Attend Conference

Fifty-three girls from the Victoria C.G.I.T. groups are going to Vancouver this weekend to attend Vancouver C.G.I.T. conference.

Three leaders are accompanying the girls. They are Mrs. Jean Duck, president of Leaders' Council; Miss Marion Burnell, treasurer, Leaders' Council, and Miss Beverley Smith, assistant sponsor, Girls' Council.

Executive of Girls' Council is also among those who will be attending. Carol Oliphant, president, Bar-Jean Dawson, Mary McLean and Violet Guy have all made plans to go to the mainland city.

A Film—"Behind the Clouds" was enjoyed at a social evening held recently in St. Matthew's Church hall. Stanley Horner showed the film. Rev. Hywel Jones played organ selections for a musical hymn contest.

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## PRESENTED WITH LIFE MEMBERSHIP

MONTREAL, Feb. 15 (CP)—Lady Alexander, wife of Canada's former Governor-General, today accepted an offer of life membership in the National Council of Women.

In a telegram to the president, Mrs. A. Turner Bone, Lady Alexander accepted the life membership which was offered following an executive meeting. Lady Alexander has been honorary president of the council for some time.

## Year's Activities Reviewed By Brides Of Albion Chapter

A group of British war brides who met five years ago to form the Brides of Albion Chapter, I.O.D.E., held this year's annual meeting last evening in the McNeill Avenue home of their regent, Mrs. B. T. Shaw.

Although a young chapter, their activities included an anniversary tea, rummage sale and a tea and bazaar, reported Mrs. G. Humston, secretary.

Mrs. C. McAllister, treasurer, stated total receipts were \$187.91 and total disbursements, \$213.13.

Child and family welfare convenor, Mrs. Humston, said used clothing had been sent to a Dutch immigrant family and a food hamper for another needy family.

Conveners reported that gifts had been sent to adopted school at Otter Point, food parcels and an Afghan sent overseas.

Reports were also given by Mrs. R. McLaughlin, standard-bearer and press; Mrs. McAllister, membership; Mrs. Shaw, films, and Mrs. Pearson read service personnel and Echoes report for Mrs. A. Rigler, and her own report on educational work.

## Tribute To Late King

During the period of mourning for the late King George VI, all members of the Senior Women's Auxiliary to Royal Jubilee Hospital will wear a purple ribbon, one inch wide and one-half inch long.

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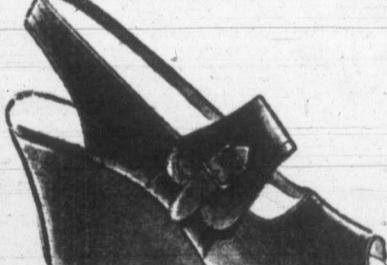
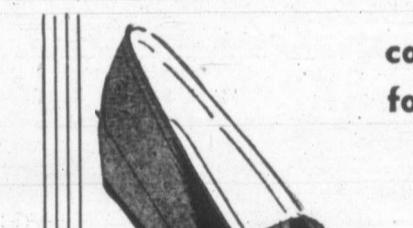
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**VITAL STATISTICS**

**1 BIRTHS**

LITTLE—At Jubilee Hospital, February 12, 1952, a son for Marie and Ross Little, and brother to Harry.

**4 DEATHS**

BENNETT—On Thursday, Feb. 14, 1952. Mrs. Alice Bennett of 138 Powderly St. passed away in the Victoria General Hospital, Victoria, England, and had resided here in Victoria for the past 69 years. She is survived by her husband, Mr. Edward Elizabeth Head of Happy Valley; Mrs. Margaret Mellings and Mrs. Mabel De Wet; Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Thomas; Ernest Albert Edward and Charles Alf of Victoria; two sons, Mr. and Mrs. John and Mrs. John; 15 grandchildren and 11 great-grandchildren.

Rev. Mr. and Mrs. Kendall will conduct the funeral service on Saturday, Feb. 16, at 3 p.m. at Christ Church Cathedral followed by interment in the family plot in Ross Bay Cemetery.

BRYANT—At the residence, 437 Frances Avenue, on February 12, 1952, William George Bryant, 62, of Victoria. Husband of Mary Alice Bryant. He leaves his wife, one daughter, Mrs. Art Hart, and two sons, Mr. and Mrs. George Bryant, both of Victoria; Mr. and Mrs. Almond and Mrs. Ralph Bryn of Victoria; six grand children; and 11 great-grandchildren.

Passenger services will be held on Saturday afternoon, February 16, at 1.30 p.m. at the Royal Oak Chapel, Victoria. Interment in Royal Oak Burial Park.

DEMANTIC—On Friday, February 13, 1952. Anton Demantic, aged 49, from Ukraine, Russia and Bulgaria, now in Ukraine, Russia and a resident of this province for many years. Funeral from Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel on Saturday at 10 a.m. Rev. N. J. Goss officiating. Interment in Colwood Burial Park.

GIBSON—In St. Joseph's Hospital on February 13, after a very long illness. Elsie Muriel Delaney Gibson, 62, of Victoria, B.C. Funeral Chapel, Ven. Archdeacon A. E. de Nunes of the Anglican Church. Services conducted by the service and the hymns were "Rock of Ages" and "Abide With Me." A private service was held at the graveside followed by interment in Ross Bay Cemetery.

MICHEL—A large congregation filling the chapel to capacity, was present at the funeral of Mrs. Anna Michel, widow of Mr. and Mrs. Michel, of Victoria. Mrs. Michel died January 26, 1952, at the age of 82 years. Her husband, Mr. Michel, died in 1941. She is survived by her son, Mr. Michel, and daughter-in-law, Mrs. Michel, and by her two daughters, Mrs. Michel and Mrs. Michel.

Funeral services will be held in Hayward's Funeral Chapel on Saturday, Feb. 16, at 1 p.m. Rev. William Mills officiating. Interment in the Royal Oak Burial Park. Interment in Royal Oak Burial Park.

OLDHAM—On Friday, February 13, 1952. Mrs. Bala L. Hafer, B. Doney and W. Butler, all of Victoria, B.C. Funeral Chapel on Saturday, Feb. 14, at 1 p.m. Rev. Mr. and Mrs. George Biddle officiating. Cremation. (North Battleford, Sask. papers, please copy.)

**5 CARDS OF THANKS**

We wish to express our loving thanks to our friends and relatives for their kindness and sympathy as expressed by their letters and beautiful flowers, in their visits and calls. Special thanks to the Staff of the Receiving Stores and Armament Department, Royal Canadian Ordnance Depot, Esquimalt, Mr. and Mrs. John G. Burns, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Partridge.

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## BEDTIME STORY

by Thornton W. Burgess

Mr. and Mrs. Timmy had spent all the autumn and most of the winter in the big apartment tree in the Green Forest. They had a lot of neighbors in that tree. Others of their kind were living there. At the beginning of cold weather Killy the Sparrow Hawk had moved in. And in the middle of winter, who should take the lower apartment but Spooky the Screech Owl. They hadn't minded having the little Hawk in the upper apartment; he hadn't bothered them in the least. You see, he was awake only in daytime, and they were awake and out only at night. Having Spooky the Screech Owl for a neighbor was quite another matter.

"Are we going to continue to live here?" asked Mrs. Timmy one night as she and Timmy were opening and eating some choice nuts. Her voice was squeaky.

Timmy looked up with surprise.

"Do you know of a better place?" demanded Timmy. He sounded a little impatient, and his voice was a trifle squeakier than usual.

"No," replied Mrs. Timmy, "but we could go look for one."

"But why should we?" cried Timmy. He sounded more impatient than ever. "What's the matter with this place?"

"You seem to have forgotten who is living down below," squeaked Mrs. Timmy.

"Oh!" exclaimed Timmy. "I suppose you mean Spooky the Screech Owl."

Mrs. Timmy nodded. "That is just who I mean," said she.

"He hasn't bothered us any," said Timmy. He spoke in a doubtful tone.

"That is because we know all about him, and how to keep out of his way. But you know as well as I do that we have to keep constant watch; that we can't afford to be forgetful and careless even once. How about the babies?" retorted Mrs. Timmy.

"Well, how about them?" squeaked Timmy.

"He would soon find out that we had children and he would be watching for them. The poor dears wouldn't have a chance once they were outside the house," declared Mrs. Timmy.

Timmy pretended not to hear more of these nuts," said he.

"We are not talking about nuts," squeaked Mrs. Timmy sharply. "We were talking about what is best for our babies."

"But we haven't any!" cried Timmy.

Mrs. Timmy let this pass. "I think we should go look for a new home, and the sooner we do it the better," said she. Timmy said nothing.

**ACREAGE DOWN**

Roo of the shortage was a 20 per cent reduction of acreage in Canada, and a 15 per cent decline in yield per acre.

Unfortunately for the consumer, the same situation prevailed in the United States.

Whereas Canada used to export its surplus to the United States, this season it fell far short of its quota, and instead has had to import from south of the border at high prices.

One consolation for the housewife is that farmers may expand their crops next year in view of this year's shortage, and create a surplus that will lower the present high prices.

### THAT PERSONAL TOUCH

WINNIPEG (CP)—The trend in the drugstore business today is back to the "friendly pharmacy." druggists' meeting was told by J. Warren Lansdowne of Indianapolis. He said "Joe Doakes" often buys his toothpaste at the grocery store because the druggist has "neglected the personal touch."

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## BBC Gloom Draws Ire Of Newspaper, Bishop

LONDON, Feb. 15 (Reuters)—Previously, many papers had printed letters of protest at the radio programs.

All news broadcasts have dealt almost entirely with events connected with the Royal funeral tomorrow and Queen Elizabeth's accession to the throne.

The BBC will revert to its normal schedule Saturday, after broadcasting the King's funeral.

Stronger criticism has been leveled at the BBC television section, which shut down entirely on the day of the King's death. One Sunday newspaper said it should have shown film excerpts of the King's recent life instead of closing down "in a fit of panic."

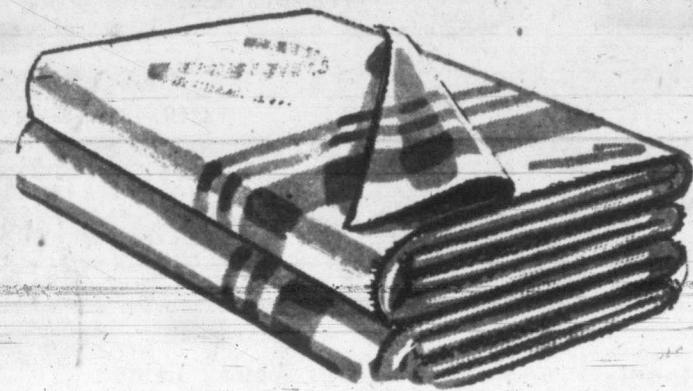
## Citizens Centre For Robert House Asked

Prince Robert House was seen as a possible citizens' centre by Dr. Marian N. Sherman, in a letter to Mayor Claude Harrison and council Thursday.

She asked council to consider "allowing an accredited group to take over Prince Robert House, rent and tax free, for a period of years on the understanding that the building will be used as a citizens' centre for creative activities."

# EATON'S Semi-Annual SALE of FURNITURE and HOUSEFURNISHINGS

## Bedding, Staples and Linen Specially Priced



### White Flannelette Blankets Seconds — Selling At Great Savings!

Kingcot white flannelette blankets, with slight flaws that class them as "seconds." Firmly woven to give long service, and softly napped for extra warmth. In plain white, or white with coloured borders . . . double bed size, about 70x90 inches. Semi-Annual Sale Price, pair

#### Extra Large Size

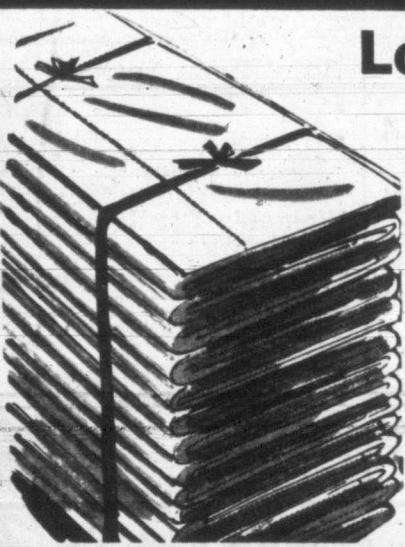
"Kingcot" flannelette blankets in white only . . . seconds, in extra large size, about 80 x 90 inches. Semi-Annual Sale Price, 6.49

**5.69**

#### Single Bed Size

White, with coloured borders . . . seconds, in single bed size, about 54 x 80 inches. Semi-Annual Sale Price, pair

**4.19**



### Lovely Wabasso Sheets and Pillow Cases

#### Substandards — Slight Flaws

Finely woven, snowy white cotton sheets, with hemstitched ends, selling far below usual price because they're classed as substandards. Buy several pairs for maximum wear and sleeping comfort! Double bed size, about 81 x 100 inches. Semi-Annual Sale Price, pair

**7.79**

#### Maker's Clearance — Damaged Sheets

Closely woven cotton sheets, bleached to a snowy whiteness . . . selling at an amazingly low price! Beautifully hemstitched. Shop early . . . 150 only! Double bed size, about 81 x 100 inches. Semi-Annual Sale Price, each

**3.19**

Limit, 4 sheets to a customer  
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#### Wabasso Hemstitched Pillow Cases

Substandard pillow cases by this well-known manufacturer . . . snowy white cotton, finished with hemstitching. Stock up now and save . . . lay several pairs away for future use! 42 inches wide. Semi-Annual Sale Price, pair

**1.49**



### Wool-Filled Comforters—Specially Priced

#### Special Purchase Brings You Savings!

Warm wool-filled comforters, covered in smart rayon satin blended in patchwork effects. You'll find these give you warmth and at the same time lend luxury to your room . . . colours include blue, wine, turquoise, green, rose and gold-colour. Standard-size comforters at well below standard price! Semi-Annual Sale Price, each

**7.99**

EATON'S—Staples, Main Floor

#### Linen Tea Towels

Closely woven, extremely absorbent all-linen tea towels . . . cream background with border stripes of red, green and blue. Size approx. 16x30. Semi-Annual Sale Price, each

**39c**

#### Chenille-Type Bedspreads

Beautifully tufted better quality chenille-type spreads . . . solid white attractively designed in green, blue, wine, helio, pink or rose. Size about 87x100. Semi-Annual Sale Price, each

**12.95**

#### Mill Ends — Unbleached Cotton

In 1 to 10-yard lengths . . . closely woven sturdy unbleached cotton in 36-inch and 40-inch widths. You'll find them useful for many household purposes. Semi-Annual Sale Price

**1.00**  
3 yards

#### Unbleached Cotton Sheetings

Approx. 54 inches wide . . . very lightweight cotton sheeting suitable for straining purposes, dusters, etc. Specially priced for thrifty homemakers! Semi-Annual Sale Price, yard

**24c**

#### Cotton Terry Towels

Solid colour medium-weight cotton terry towels that really soak up water! Choose from a wide range of decorator colours. Semi-Annual Sale Prices—

Bath towel size, Hand towel size, Face cloth size.  
Approx. 20x40. Each Approx. 15x26. Each Approx. 12x12. Each

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#### All-Wool White Blankets

Snowy white, with a soft, downy finish . . . wool blankets made to wash and wear well! Finished with multi-coloured borders and whipped ends. Size 54x84. Semi-Annual Sale Price, each

**8.99**

#### Tartan Motor Rugs

Thick all-wool motor rugs with deeply fringed ends . . . in authentic clan tartans of MacPherson, MacDonald and Robertson. Bed throw size about 54x86 inches. Semi-Annual Sale Price, each

**6.98**

#### Plaid Flannelette Sheets

Classed as seconds, but flaws are slight . . . coloured plaid effects on white grounds, with a softly napped finish that should give years of service! Size 70x80. Semi-Annual Sale Price, pair

**4.39**

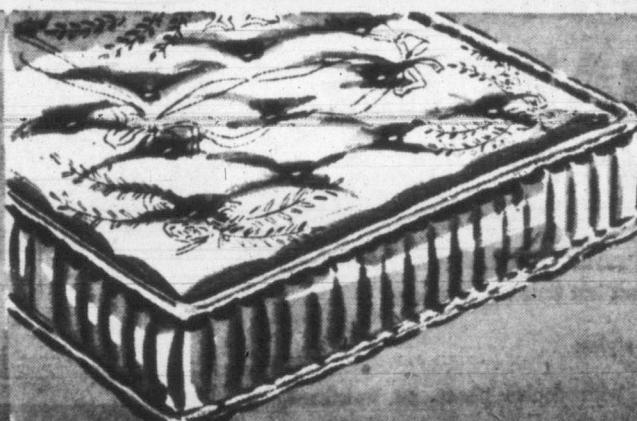
#### Circular Pillow Cotton

Mill ends in one to five-yard lengths . . . good quality Wabasso bleached cotton tubing makes up into pillow cases. Width approx. 42 inches. Semi-Annual Sale Price, yard

**66c**

EATON'S—Staples, Main Floor

## Important Savings on Furniture to Meet Many Needs



### Group 1: Spring-Filled Mattresses

Good quality spring-filled mattress . . . with many rows of comfort-giving steel coil springs and several layers of cotton felt. Covered in a durable printed ticking. Sizes 3.3, 4.0 and 4.6. Semi-Annual Sale Price, each

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### Group 2: Spring-Filled Mattresses

A well-constructed spring-filled mattress that's tagged exceptionally low for economy-minded shoppers! Has durable cotton ticking, turning handles and air vents. In 3.3, 4.0 and 4.6 sizes. Semi-Annual Sale Price, each

**23.99**

### Felt Mattress

Comfortable and economical . . . layers of soft felt finished with rolled edges and durable cotton ticking. Available in sizes 3.3, 4.0 and 4.6. Semi-Annual Sale Price, each, **14.99**

### High-Riser Steel Spring

Sturdily built for lasting comfort and durability, these steel slat, high-riser springs with helicks make a suitable base for spring-filled mattress. Semi-Annual Sale Price, each, **15.99**

### Hollywood Bed Unit

Unpainted whitewood frame with headboard . . . well constructed and sanded ready to finish. 4.6 size. Semi-Annual Sale Price, unit, **31.99**

### Modern Two-Piece Lounge Suite

Lounge by day, makes up into a comfortable bed at night! A remarkable furniture value at this low price! . . . Popular modern construction, upholstered in a variety of colours and fabrics. Walnut-veneer showwood. Matching chair. Semi-Annual Sale Price, suite

**127.00**

### Lounge Suite — Upholstered in Frieze

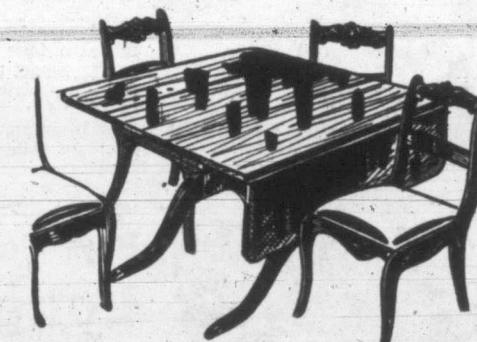
Two-piece modern lounge . . . upholstered in luxurious frieze, in shades of green, rose and blue. Makes up into comfortable bed when needed . . . has matching chair. Blonde showwood. Semi-Annual Sale Price, suite

**199.50**

### 5-Piece Dining Room Group

#### In Smooth, Modern Design

Suite consists of drop-leaf table and four matching chairs upholstered in tapestry . . . walnut veneers . . . both in a simply styled design for modern homes. Well constructed of hard woods to stand up to years of use.



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5-Piece  
Chromium-Plated  
Dinette  
Suite

Tables have heat-resistant plastic tops in colours of grey and yellow, grey and blue, grey and red . . . extension leaf. Matching chairs are padded and upholstered in durable plastic. Semi-Annual Sale Price, 5-piece suite

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#### Men's Argyle Diamond Socks



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- For everyday wear.
- Colours of Charm and Blush Beige.

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All styles have zipper fly, reinforced pockets, two hip pockets. Plain shades of sand, brown, beige, grey, blue, black and blue-grey. Waist sizes 28 to 46.

**9<sup>95</sup>**  
Spotlight Sale  
Price, pair

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## Spotlight Sale of Men's Pants and Boys' Wear

### Boys' Woven Plaid Shirts

Hard wearing cotton flannel shirts made to take plenty of rough treatment. Smart plaid patterns are woven right in—shirts are well cut with plenty of room for action. Sizes 6 to 16 years.

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### Boys' Corduroy Long Pants

These are smartly styled, with elastic waist and self belt. Zipper closing—pleats at front. Come in serviceable shades of navy and brown. Sizes 6 to 12 years.

Spotlight Sale Special, each **4<sup>99</sup>**

### Boys' Polo Pyjamas

Comfortable, practical and smart—that's these popular polo pyjamas in plain shades and fancy stripes. Reasonably fit. Sizes 6 to 14 years.

Spotlight Sale Special, each **2<sup>19</sup>**

### Boys' Unlined Outdoor Jackets

Just right for spring wear—in rayon gabardines, sharkskin and satin-finish rayons, colours of wine, blue, green and silver-colour. Roomily fitting sizes for extra comfort. Sizes 6 to 16 years.

Spotlight Sale Special, each **4<sup>99</sup>**

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In a medium weight cream rib cotton. For spring and summer wear. Short-leg shorts—short-sleeved shirts. Sizes 6 to 16 years.

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2 for **1.55**

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# MILLION LINE FUNERAL ROUTE

## Victoria Mourns

Today was a day of mourning.

Although 6,000 miles from Windsor, and hours removed in time, Victorians were close to their late monarch as they gathered throughout the city to pay tribute to King George VI.

His Majesty had long since reached his last resting place by the time his people in Greater Victoria met to pay their respects, but the services were no less genuine.

Everyday boundaries were forgotten as Canadians of all races, creeds, and colors joined hands in their deep personal reverence.

At Christ Church Cathedral members of all Anglican denominations prayed for the late sovereign.

Those of the large United churches took part in a solemn service at First United Church.

Roman Catholics mourned the passing of King George at a touching and beautiful High Mass in St. Andrew's Cathedral.

And in the distance, sharp at 11, could be heard the first of 56 minute guns firing from the west coast base of His Majesty's Royal Canadian Navy—one round for each year of his life.

## City Hushed

The whole city was hushed. There was no traffic and only the most essential services were continued as most stores, business houses, government offices and industrial plants remained closed out of respect to the king.

Even the weather was significant. There were dark clouds, but periods of bright sunshine lightened the sorrow of the day to make one and all realize that the Commonwealth will go forward in the reign of a brilliant and beautiful young Queen—as her father would wish.

Observances continued throughout the day.

A reserve army drumhead service in Bay Street Armoury was to conclude at sunset, as will an R.C.A.F. observance at Patricia Bay.

## Guns Salute

The booming of guns at Work Point Barracks started at 3 at a parade of active service men from Work Point and Gordon Head.

Members of the Jewish faith in Victoria were to hold their service tonight at 8.

This is the day the millions in the King's family have dreaded. Shocked by his sudden death, the utter finality of the funeral service has been hard for them to face, and the sincere feeling of all his subjects was well expressed in their prayers this Friday.

## Cathedral Packed

At Christ Church Cathedral, 2,800 people filled every available space within the great stone and concrete structure, while several hundred others were turned away.

Although the service did not commence until 10:30, practically all seats, except those reserved for dignitaries, were taken by 9:45. Many who attended the early morning Communion service at 8 waited for the main service.

Premier Byron Johnson was there with his family and so were other provincial cabinet ministers. Chief Justice Gordon McG. Sloan attended, as did Maj.-Gen. G. R. Pearkes, V.C., M.P., for Nanaimo; Mayor Claude Harrison and representatives of the outlying municipalities.

High-ranking officers of the three armed services were present and there was a large representation of scarlet-coated R.C.M.P.

Young and old participated. Among the crowd were many veterans, displaying rows of medals. Practically all men wore black ties, and many women wore purple ribbons on their coats.

Rt. Rev. Harold E. Sexton, Lord Bishop of British Columbia, spoke the blessing for members of the Royal Family, while other prayers were read by Rt. Rev. N. V. Halward, bishop's assistant, and Very Rev. Dean G. R. Calvert, cathedral rector, gave the lesson. Twenty other Anglican ministers of the diocese participated in the procession.

For three quarters of an hour before the service and for some time after, the eight Cathedral bells rang out a half-muffled peal in honor of the deceased king.

Inside, before the service, solemn music of Bach, Brahms and Mendelssohn was played on the great organ.

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## FINAL ★★ BULLETINS

### Canada Drubs Germany 15 To 1

OSLO, Feb. 15 (CP)—Canada ran wild to a 15-1 victory tonight over Germany in a first-round game of the round-robin series for the Olympic hockey championship.

### 3 Soldiers, Civilian, Die In Crash

AILSA CRAIG, Ont., Feb. 15 (CP)—An automobile careened off the highway and slammed into a tree near here Thursday night, killing three soldiers and a civilian. Three other soldiers were injured, two severely.

### Denial Expected On Troop Pact

WASHINGTON, Feb. 15 (BUP)—The U.S. State Department is expected to deny that President Truman made any agreement with Prime Minister Winston Churchill which might commit more U.S. troops overseas.

The department, it was learned today, has replied to the House foreign affairs committee's demand that it reveal whether any such agreement was made between the two leaders during their recent talks here.

### N.A.T.O. Ships, Planes To Exercise

NAPLES, Italy, Feb. 15 (BUP)—Ships and planes of four Atlantic Pact powers will mass in the Mediterranean for nine days of war manoeuvres starting Feb. 26. It has been announced.

The exercises will be under the direction of U.S. Adm. Robert B. Carney, commander-in-chief of Allied forces in southern Europe, and countries represented will be the United States, Britain, France and Italy.

### U.S. Hockey Team Beats Norway 3-2

OSLO, Feb. 15 (CP)—The United States Olympic hockey team squeezed through to a 3-2 victory today over Norway in the opening game of the Olympic round-robin hockey tournament.

### Grant Wanted For Newbold Morris

WASHINGTON, Feb. 15 (UP)—President Truman will ask Congress to give corruption-fighter Newbold Morris an expense allowance of \$150,000 a month, authoritative sources said today.

That would be enough to enable Morris to hire a special staff of about 200 investigators to search out "wrong-doers" on the government payroll.

### Alexander Presented With Wings

OTTAWA, Feb. 15 (BUP)—Former Governor-General Earl Alexander of Tunis, who has flown some 700 hours in R.C.A.F. planes, had a set of air force pilot's wings today.

The wings were presented Thursday by Air Vice-Marshal W. A. Curtis, chief of the air staff, who said Alexander had earned them in his flights aboard Canadian aircraft in Canada, the United States, South America, England and Europe.

### \$517,420 For Purse Distribution

VANCOUVER, Feb. 15 (CP)—A total of \$517,420 will be available for purse distribution in Vancouver's 70-day horse racing season, opening June 14.

The Vancouver Thoroughbred Association announced today basic purses at Lansdowne Park will be \$850 and \$900 at Exhibition Park.

### Complete Silence Hits London For Two Minutes

LONDON (BUP)—London, the hub of the vast Empire, fell silent at 2 p.m. (6 a.m. PST) today.

Piccadilly Circus the only sound was of the falling water from the fountain at the statue of Eros.

A distant gun boomed, all traffic halted. Drivers climbed out of the red double-decked buses and stood motionless in front of the vehicles, their heads bare. Taxi drivers did the same. Passengers got out of their automobiles.

Hundreds of persons crowded around the base of the statue as two minutes of silence were observed to honor the King.

A group of American sailors stood with their arms raised in salute.

### At The Passing Of A Beloved Monarch

By JOHN MASEFIELD  
Poet Laureate

The Everlasting Wisdom has ordained  
That this rare soul, his earthly service done,  
Shall leave the peoples over whom he reigned  
For other service at a higher throne,  
Where life's rewards sing at triumph won.  
In nobleness attempted and attained.

Through years more terrible than any known.  
What is a nation's love? No little thing;  
A vast dumb tenderness beyond all price;  
Surely a power of prayer upon a wing;

The living anguish of a hope to heal  
Offered by all hearts here in sacrifice  
To spirits bowed in sorrow for the King  
That it may touch, to comfort or anneal.

May this devotion help them in their grief,  
May the devotion kindle to resolve  
To make this stricken country green with leaf  
Glad with another hope to be again.

A sun about which singing orbs revolve,  
A kingdom grown so worthy of her chief  
That millions yet unborn shall bless her reign.



Monarch Borne To Final Resting Place

The gun carriage drawn by sailors of the Royal Navy bears body of King George VI from London's Westminster Hall to

day on the way to final burial ceremonies at Windsor Castle. (AP wirephoto)

## National Ceremony Was Focal Point Of Canada's Homage To King George

OTTAWA, Feb. 15 (CP)—Canada today paid homage to King George VI.

Focal point of the country's tribute was a national ceremony of mourning held in Parliament's Hall of Fame, with wreaths placed by state officials and representatives of veterans' and other organizations.

Similar ceremonies took place in cities and towns across the country.

The day has been proclaimed by the government as a public holiday to be observed as a day of general mourning. Most schools closed.

Originally, the government had planned to hold an open-air ceremony at the National War Memorial.

A two-minute silence, signalled by the firing of a gun, followed

at 11:45 a.m. with the firing of the first gun of a 56-gun salute from an artillery troop stationed from the buildings.

A lament was played by the Cameron Highlanders as wreaths were placed in the Hall of Fame by Chief Justice Thibaudine Rinfret, the administrator in the absence of a Governor-General; Senator Elie Beauregard, Speaker of the Senate; Speaker Ross Macdonald of the Commons; Field Marshall Lord Alexander, on behalf of the Canadian Legion, and by Mayor Charlotte Whilton of Ottawa.

The ceremony ended with a flourish and the playing of God Save the Queen.

One round was fired for each of the 56 years of the late sovereign's life, each at a half-minute interval.

The national ceremony began at 11:45 a.m. but before that the great bell of the carillon high in the Peace Tower began to toll.

At 11:53, massed bands of the armed forces and the Royal Canadian Mounted Police played Chopin's funeral march, "Abide With Me," "God Save the Queen" and "O Canada."

A two-minute silence, signalled by the firing of a gun, followed

at 1 p.m. with the firing of the first gun of a 56-gun salute from an artillery troop stationed from the buildings.

The funeral service, almost serene in its solemn and measured dignity, came to a close in the dying notes of a choir, as a faint light filtered through lofty stained-glass windows and glowed on St. George's grey and silver Cotswold stone.

At the end of the service, the coffin was carried by trolley through an underground passage, built by the prince regent in 1813, to the Royal tombhouse which the third of Georges fashioned for his family a century and a half ago.

It is understood the coffin will rest beside another draped with a personal standard—that of George's brother, the Duke of Kent, killed in a wartime air crash on a Scottish hill.

In the same arched vault lie the bones of Henry VIII and Jane Seymour, unhappy Charles I and all of England's rulers of the last 150 years, except Victoria. The chapel was first used for the repose of royalty at the command of Edward IV, who died in 1483.

The King's body was brought to Windsor after a funeral procession through London.

Elizabeth II, a Queen at 25, led the country's final homage to her father. For two and a half hours she rode in a horse-drawn carriage behind the coffin to the dirge of 10 bands, while more than 1,000 Britons, packed along the chill streets of London, bowed in reverence.

Then she entrained for Windsor with the body and saw it laid to rest in a crypt of royalty already holding 10 other sovereigns.

At the close of the 26-minute service the Royal Family left the chapel by a side door. Queen Elizabeth and the Duke of Edinburgh kissed the Queen Mother on the cheek just before they stepped into a waiting limousine.

Queen Mary, 84, stayed in London and waved her farewell from a window of Marlborough House. But the widowed Queen Elizabeth was here with Princess Margaret to hear the choir sing the hymn she and the new Queen had chosen—a hymn of victory, often sung at Easter:

"The strife is o'er, the battle done;

## Reverent Hush Rings World In Mourning

By ALAN HARVEY  
Canadian Press Staff Writer

WINDSOR, England, Feb. 15 (CP)—The coffin of George VI sank slowly from sight today, bearing a beloved sovereign to join his ancestors within the tomb of the King.

In a service of medieval splendor, surrounded by those he loved, the chiefs of many countries, the humble and exalted of his own estate, the "Good King" who did not want to rule, was gently laid to rest amid a universal hush and general mourning.

Crowned heads, princes of the realm, government ministers, high churchmen and distinguished representatives of 40 countries, joined in Britain's final act of fealty, enacted in gothic St. George's Chapel, shrine of English chivalry since 1483 and resting place of many rulers.

Paying their reverent tribute as representatives of Canada were High Commissioner L. Dana Wilgress, Vincent Massey, governor-general-designate, External Affairs Minister L. B. Pearson and Defense Minister Brooke Claxton. Gen. H. D. G. Crerar, Canada's wartime army commander, also attended as a former aide-de-camp to the late King.

Throughout the simple but moving Church of England burial service which lasted 26 minutes, the Queen, Queen Mother, Princess Margaret and Princess Royal, stood at the head of the plain oak coffin.

The scene in the choir chapel was an impressive one. Consecrated in lights in front of the pews and tall, white candles glowed on the lofty walls, reaching with delicate fan-tracery high into the tesselated roof.

Behind the Royal ladies in serried ranks across the width of the choir were kings of other countries and dignitaries who had come to pay their homage.

Before the coffin disappeared from sight through the floor of the chapel to the Royal vault below, the King's company of the King's Company, Grenadier Guards, was handed an officer to the Queen. She took it from the crimson cushion and placed it on the head of the casket.

## Last Gesture Is Queen's

Then as the Archbishop of Canterbury pronounced committal and the coffin descended, the Queen sprinkled some earth from a gilt bowl handed to her by an official of the household.

The Queen Mother stepped close to the Queen as the solemn notes of the Dead March faded away.

As the Queen Mother and other members of the Royal Family passed from the chapel they bowed in final tribute as they filed past the coffin.

The funeral service, almost serene in its solemn and measured dignity, came to a close in the dying notes of a choir, as a faint light filtered through lofty stained-glass windows and glowed on St. George's grey and silver Cotswold stone.

At a signal, the sepulchral slab bearing the King's coffin was set in motion. Slowly, amid a poignant stillness, it sank from view to rest momentarily in the underground crypt. Thus the service ended.

For this reporter, privileged to be the only Canadian newspaper representative in the chapel, it was an unique experience, moving yet majestic, a moment in history—a link in the long story of monarchical institution which endures though their outward mortal symbols change.

Quietly the chapel emptied of its more than 1,000 mourners as they filed past a profusion of floral tributes from all parts of the world. Outside, on the great Norman keep of Windsor Castle, flew the Ceremonial Standard, Britain's largest official flag, reminding the people that the King, who may be the last of the Windsor dynasty, had come home for the last time.

## To Rest Beside Brother

From the crypt where it now rests, the King's coffin will be moved by trolley through an underground passage, built by the prince regent in 1813, to the Royal tombhouse which the third of Georges fashioned for his family a century and a half ago.

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